

To Expend Nearly \$6 Million In Next Three Years

# Camp Grayling Expansion Plans Announced

By Rod Denley

Officials at Camp Grayling have released immediate and long range expansion plans for the facility which may result in increases in both staff and facilities for the camp at a cost of about \$6 million during the next three years.

Col. E.A. Rutkowski, Camp Commander announced this week the awarding of a contract for \$1 million in new construction this year and discussed increases to come in base personnel.

Major Jack Stockhaus outlined the larger projects in the planning stages for the coming years. Stockhaus, facilities engineer of the camp said this may include a new camp headquarters, a large warehouse and commissary facility, a

new armory, as well as storm sewers, firebreaks, access roads and expansion of other facilities at the camp.

Stockhaus stressed that the proposed facilities are part of long range development plans and made it very clear that the costs are planning figures which may change in the future due to inflation and may be affected by planning constraints as well.

While the future of much of the expansion is not definite yet there is no doubt at all a concerning construction and expansion for this year.

Col. Rutkowski said that Greenville Construction Co. Inc. of Greenville, MI submitted the low bid on the phase 17 portion of the construction program at Camp Grayling. This phase consists of mess halls, barracks and administrative buildings. Work on the 21 structures will commence as soon as the contract is formally awarded.

Jack Stewart, General Superintendent for Greenville's northern operations plans to employ a 35 man work force of which, over half will be residents of Crawford County. In addition to the prime contractors work force, Sub-Contractors expect to employ approximately 50 personnel at various stages of construction. Mr. Stewart stated that "We intend to purchase as much material and equipment from local establishments as practical".

Staff at the camp will also be expanded this year in two different steps which were outlined by Col. Rutkowski. In announcing the expansion of the units stationed at the training site he said the first increase will take place on 1 June 77 and involves the Camp Grayling ARNG Training Site. Commanding by Maj. Stockhaus unit is the command and

control element for the entire camp. This increase in military personnel authorized from 56 to 84 will more closely align the organization structure with the actual missions performed. In addition, there are vitally needed military fire fighter positions that will further increase the camps growing capability in fire suppression operations.

The next increase will take place on 1 September 1977 and involve the 1071st Maintenance Company commanded by Cpt. Joseph LaGrow of Grayling. This increase from 93 to 168 will add 75 military slots to the unit and result in expanded capabilities in maintenance operations.

Col. Rutkowski stated that "While these increases will not result in full time employment opportunities at the present, they definitely present the opportunity to participate in the most important part time job in Michigan."

Camp Grayling is the second largest employer in Crawford County and the projects planned for the future will also have an important effect on the sagging economy of the area they reach construction stages.

Camp officials say they are very aware of their important role in the area economy and Stockhaus stressed that camp contractors will be encouraged to make use of local labor and building supplies where ever that is practical and possible. "We are vitally interested in this area and its economic future," said Stockhaus.

The largest project planned for 1978 will be the creation of a central ammunition supply point. Stockhaus said the camp receives stores and issues about 600 tons of ammunition each year which is used in various troop training exercises.

It is presently stored in several small areas and is widely

dispersed throughout the large base. This is a totally new facility which will safely store the ammunition in one area only. Cost for the building is estimated at \$1.5 million.

A new Catonment and Area Drainage Project is scheduled for completion in 1978. That is estimated to cost \$150,000 according to Stockhaus and is designed to upgrade the surface water or storm drain system for the camp. "We have been working on this project for over two years with the officials from the soil conservation district," he said. He stresses that the system is for control of surface or rain water and is not related to the huge system which handles the human waste and other sewage from the base.

About \$75,000 worth of access roads will be built to the helicopter gunnery range. This will provide direct access to the range on an all weather road says the engineer. "The road in there now is more than a trail." Another \$75,000 will be spent the same year for construction of fire breaks at the tank range complex and the artillery area.

Also planned for 1978 is Aircraft Bulk Refuel facility at the airfield to cost an estimated \$150,000. An additional \$26,000 will be spent to upgrade the individual aircraft fueling facility. The major expansion will provide for the quick refuel of tank trucks.

The major project for 1979 will be the construction of the Logistical Support Activity Center which will be a large warehouse and commissary facility. The building will consolidate in one area the activities that are now being carried on in 20 different structures. Cost of that is estimated at \$2.5 million.

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### Mystery Bus Offers Free Ride May 8-14

Grayling residents couldn't pick a better week to ride a Crawford County Public Transit Bus.

You stand a good chance to receive a free ride according to Chet Johnston, manager of the transit system.

From May 8-14 there will be a mystery bus touring the city and hauling the bus customers and if you call it to your door you get to ride for free.

"Now it could be any one of the three buses we have in service, at any given operating hour, which is why we are calling it the mystery bus," said Johnston. "This will enable every person that rides our bus system, the same opportunity: a free ride."

The rides are being offered in honor of National Transportation Week and the local transit system feels it offers area residents an opportunity to get to know the bus line and how it operates.

This is also another way of saying, "Thank you" for helping make Public Transportation in Crawford County such a success," says Johnston. He stressed as well that "...we are very busy so please call ahead early to give us ample time to accommodate your needs."

### Tax Assn. To Meet Wednesday

Another public meeting for the Crawford County Taxpayers Association is scheduled for tonight. It will be held at Grayling High School Library on Wednesday May 4 at 7:30 p.m.

A constitution committee met this past week to establish a constitution and work out the technical details of the organization which is seeking methods of finding tax relief for area taxpayers.

### Little League Draft

On Wednesday, May 4th, at 7:00 p.m., our team draft will be held in the City Council Meeting Room of City Hall. At this time, we will also welcome all volunteers for coaches, umpires, scorekeepers and concession workers.

### OPEN HOUSE

An Open House for Ed and Ellen Gierke in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary will be held Sunday, May 15, from 2 to 4 p.m. at Chief Shoppenagons.

### Warning

Inactive Duty Training will be conducted by units of the Army and Air National Guard during the period 7-8 and 11-12 May 1977. The various ranges located at Camp Grayling will be utilized during this period.

The Air to Ground Range which is located on the Artillery Range north of County Road 612 and east of Guthrie Lake will be in use during the period 4 thru 21 May 1977.

These ranges will be closed during the above dates and all persons are warned to stay out of these areas.

## Search For Ancient Burial Sites Here

By Rod Denley

Who in Crawford County has heard of the Sylvan Club on the AuSable River? The person that does may hold the key to unlock one of the oldest puzzles in the history of the North American continent: who first discovered America?

That's the opinion of two men who visited Grayling recently to search for ancient mounds in which they believe artifacts are buried that are over 3,000 years old. Even more bizarre is the fact that they think the men who buried them walked this land before even the Indians were here and were whites from the lands of the Bible.

The two men are George Lang and Wesley Carter, both of Palestine, Texas who belong to the Holy Ground Mission, a small religious settlement whose members believe they have been called by God to "accomplish the restitution of all things before Christ can return."

The men were doing research in Toronto concerning ancient Hebrew tablets and tablets which they feel relate to major events of the Bible. While in Toronto they found references to this area and travelled here to search.

A number of tablets made of black slate have been found in this area and are part of a collection in Central Michigan University. Their authenticity has been a debate which has raged for almost 70 years. The men here hope to find the mounds which they came from and conduct a dig which could prove the authenticity of the tablets and possibly unearth more clues.

This area is mentioned several times in documents which they have examined. In the documents there is a reference which reads, "These mounds or graves, as a rule, are found in groups. The Sylvan Club owns two forties, (minus two acres) on the AuSable River, Crawford County, Michigan. On the west forty we found only one group of mounds. This group contained eleven mounds. On the east forty we found three groups of mounds—one of three, another of seven and another group which covered an acre or more of ground. In this group some were close together; others from 40 to 60 feet apart."

The document, lists the artifacts found in the mounds

### M-D Banquet At Frederic

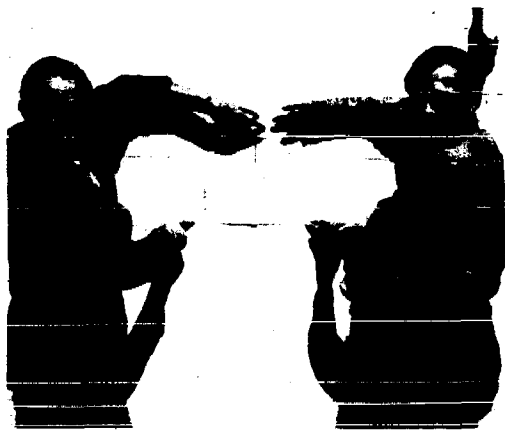
The annual Mother-Daughter Banquet will be held at the Frederic Town Hall Monday, May 9th, at 6:00 p.m. Bring a dish to pass and your own table service. The public is invited.

Please call 348-8392 for reservations. Admission is free. The banquet is being sponsored by the Frederic Hobby Club.

### Our Weather

(Courtesy of Chuck Firk)

April	High	Low
25	54	36
26	60	28
27	65	31
28	78	20
29	52	23
30	64	29
1	75	41
2	73	40



**ARTIFACT HUNTERS**—Both of these men, George Lang (left) and Wesley Carter of Palestine, Texas are here seeking information in the Grayling area. They are attempting to locate former burial site of civilizations here which predate Indian settlements and may have been colonized by ancient Hebrew Tribes.

### Kirtland to Graduate Over 140



**DR. H.F. MAYFIELD**  
**Hypertension Clinic Slated**

A blood pressure screening clinic will be held from 1:00 to 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 10th and 11th in the Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church basement.

The clinic is sponsored by local nurses for your benefit. It only takes a few minutes—stop in!

### Elementary School Musical Concert

The Grayling Elementary School will present a musical concert on May 19 at 7 p.m. at the Middle School Gym. The concert is under the direction of Mrs. Peggy Enrich and is entitled "What is Music Class?"

All classes will perform 7 or 8 songs of today and from years past. While informing the audience of what and how they learn in music class.

### Musical This Weekend

DOGPATCH, U.S.A.—The annual Spring Broadway Musical production by students of Grayling High School will be presented this weekend in three exciting performances. This year's production of "LIL ABNER" is sure to sweep you away from reality and relocate you for a short while in that fascinating, all-American metropolis, Dogpatch.

While on your visit to that community, you will share in the life of one Abner Yokum as he sets out to save his community from being used as an atomic bomb test site by the United States Government. While in this endeavor, Abner is subjected to the evil doings of

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### Golf Party Plans Set

The Grayling Country Club opening party "Spring Golf Swing" will be held at the Club Saturday, May 21st. Cocktail hour will begin at 6:30 p.m. with dinner at 7:30. There will be live music from 9:00 to 1:00.

Tickets are limited to members only and are \$15.00 per couple. They are available at the Club House, 348-9941, or from any of the following: Mike Branch, 348-4301, Paul Thompson, 348-8761, Jim Duley, 348-9120, Dale Nicholas, 348-8665 or John Harland, 348-5821.

including spear points, slate tablets, and other relics. It goes on to say "We found groups and lonely graves along the AuSable as far as we explored. Some of these groups were half a mile or more back from the river." The tablets for they found in this area were among the first discovered according to the documents. "The first war tablet we found, describing a battle between these prehistoric people and the Indians was on August 9, 1909, in one of a group of 11 mounds that was discovered on a high tableland at the juncture of the AuSable River and a stream emptying into the AuSable from the south, thirteen miles below Grayling, Michigan, according to the documents. Both references are from the Prehistoric Finds of Michigan, a book written for the American Catholic Historical Society, by Bishop James Savage.

"If anyone at all has any information which may shed light on the location of these or any mounds in the area we would be very grateful if they could come forward and make it known," asked Lang. If they have any pertinent information they could even call the mission station in Texas at 214 (area code) 876-2098," he added.

"The exact location of these mounds is still unknown but we hope there are some old-timers around who may have some information from the past."

Lang is very concerned that if someone does know of the existence of the mounds they will begin digging around by themselves and possibly ruining the artifacts or destroying the possibility of their authenticity.

"We would be very glad if people would leave the mounds alone and simply call us before touching them. There is no gold or silver or other treasure in any of them. They are only historical records that may prove the prophecies of the scriptures. An experienced digger can do more damage with one wild blow from a pick or shovel than could be repaired."

Lang went on to explain that the tablets found in the past were considered hoaxes by many people who believed the tablets were planted in the ground for people to find as a practical joke.

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**Library Used Book Sale**

The Crawford County Library will have another used book sale during the month of May. There is a large selection of discarded books ranging in price from 5 cents to 25 cents.

Library hours will be from 12:5 and 6-8 Monday through Friday and 10-2 on Saturdays.



**CAMP GRAYLING WORKERS**—Putting the finishing touches on the rear entrance of one of the new barracks at Camp Grayling is Jim Burdick on the ladder while Wayne McPhail, hands him a length of conduit. Both men are from Petoskey, and are among the civilian work force engaged in construction at the National Guard Base. (Rod Denley, Photo)

## Red Cross Bloodmobile Coming to G.H.S.

On Wednesday, May 11, the American Red Cross Blood Bank will be operating in the G.H.S. Gymnasium between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. The students are trying to reach a goal of 100 pints and they have 72 student volunteers signed up.

After one o'clock, we would like to invite the public to give blood to help us reach our goal. We want this blood bank to be the best in G.H.S. history. Please come out and help us reach our goal.

## Frederic Mushroom Contest

The Frederic Mushroom contest will be held Saturday, May 7th. There will be 2 categories, one for Morels and one for Beef Steak mushrooms.

Cash Prizes will be awarded. Headquarters will be D and M General Store and Gas Station, North U.S. 27, Frederic (formerly Newberry's).

The Mushrooms are really out now. Join in the contest and fun and enjoy our great outdoors. There are no entry fees and you do not have to be pre-registered. The contest closes at 6:00 p.m. Don't forget these mushrooms must be picked in Crawford County.

The contest is sponsored by The Frederic Business Association, and will have 2 divisions, one for adults and the other youths.

## Youth Services Fund Raising

Youth Services' Environmental Program has a little over a month to get off the ground. The expansion of last year's pilot program has resulted in a more widespread search for funding.

Downstate media coverage will hopefully reach the 100,000 tourists who canoe the AuSable every summer. The Grand Rapids Press, the Bay City Times and the Detroit News have feature articles forthcoming.

Locally, Youth Services has kept the public informed on the purposes and need for its Environmental Program. Commitments have been engaged with DNR, the Marine Patrol, Trout Unlimited, Consumer's Power, Camp Shawano, the Canoe Livery Association and local Property Owner's Associations. As well, an upcoming luncheon is scheduled with the local realtors.

Included on page 11 of the Avalanche is the Youth Services Proposal for the Crawford County Environmental Program. Any questions, suggestions or ideas should be addressed to Bob Smock at the Youth Services office, 348-7702.



**ANGLERS ENVY**—Many a fisherman headed out for the opener but few picked up a beauty like this brown trout caught by 9 1/2 year-old Brenda Praise, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Praise. The fishing fourth grader caught it Sunday at Borchers Bridge on M-72 West. It was her first fish and the 15 1/2 inch prize is a good start for any fisherman trying their luck.

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**Camp Grayling***(Continued from Page 1)*

A new armory may be constructed the same year. It will cost about \$1 million and will include drill hall, and classrooms. There is some possibility according to military officials that this facility could be tailored for some civilian use if local units of government contributed to construction and planning of the facility.

The same year calls for the building of an organizational maintenance shop for \$165,000 to provide an adequate area for a maintenance facility for work on the vehicles used by units at the camp.

A new Camp Headquarters will also be built in 1979 to provide administrative space for the full-time operations and maintenance units of the camp. This has a price tag of \$200,000 according to the camp engineer.

The MATES Mobilization and Training Equipment site at the airport is planned for expansion as well in 1979. Costs of that project are set at \$225,000.

"These are the major projects to come in the next few years," said Stockhaus. "There are as well many other smaller projects which are to numerous to mention."

"The major objective of all of this construction program is to provide an adequate facility for the operation and maintenance of the camp in its utilization as a training facility," he added. "The focus point of all of our construction is to consolidate activities and reduce the number of buildings. It is obvious that if we eliminate 20 small buildings and build one large one that we are going to have dramatic savings in fuel and also increase efficiency."

He said all of the construction is being built with the latest advances in technology to maximize on efficient use of energy and to fit into the overall master plan for Camp Grayling.

**Frederic Trout Contest Winners**

The winners in the Trout Contest were as follows: Adult Division-Dale Redman of Grayling with a 2 lb. 10 oz., 19½ inch Brown Trout. Gary Kelsey of Flushing with a 1¼ lb., 14½ inch Brook Trout. There were no entries in the Rainbow Trout Category.

Youth Division-Jerome Steele of Frederic was the winner in the Brook Trout category with an 8 inch 2 oz. fish; Tim Jones of Grayling was the winner in the Brown Trout category with a 5½ oz., 10½ inch fish. Again there were no entries in the Rainbow Trout category.

Cash awards were given to each of the winners. This contest was sponsored by the Frederic Business Association.

**Musical***(Continued from Page 1)*

General Bullmoose who attempts to steal the rights to Abner's yokumberry tonic, a potent which has been developed by Mammy Yokum which turns men into an almost perfect specimen of a human male.

Abner is assisted in his effort by his friend, Marryin' Sam and at home is haunted by the efforts of Daisy Mae to train him in matrimony. This romance becomes more complicated when Earthquake McGoon comes upon the scene and claims the hand of Daisy much to the dismay of all of Dogpatch.

Will Abner save his town? Will Daisy Mae capture Lil' Abner in the end? That you will have to see for yourself. Tickets for the Thursday, Friday and Saturday performances of Lil' Abner are presently on sale at the Grayling Pharmacy in downtown Grayling. All seats are reserved and those seats not sold by 5:00 p.m. the day of the performance will be moved to the box office at the high school where they will be sold on a first come first serve basis.

Those planning to see one or more of these performances should plan to get their tickets as soon as possible as sellout crowds are expected for both Friday and Saturday evenings.

Doors will open for the May 5, 6 & 7 performances of LIL' ABNER at 7:30 and the box office, which is also located at the Grayling High School will open at 6:00 p.m.

**Lovells News**

Mrs. Edith Maki returned home the last of the week after spending the winter with her daughters and families in Atlanta, Georgia and Lincoln, Nebraska.

Mrs. Julie Burden was the guest of honor at a baby shower Saturday evening. It was given by Mrs. Shirley Lambert and Mrs. Betty Burden. The tables were very attractive, carrying out the theme of the occasion. Several games were played after which the hostesses served a very delicious luncheon. Julie was the recipient of many lovely and useful gifts. Out of town guests were from Roscommon and Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Rooker returned home Thursday after spending the winter in Florida. Art Cook and Vickie Davio attended his 50th class reunion at the University of Michigan on the weekend.

**IN MEMORIAM**

In memory of Joe D. Moyer, who passed away four years ago, May 2, 1973. Your memory is a keepsake, with which we will never part. Though God has you in his keeping, we still have you in our hearts.

Dee Moyer and Family

**Fun Nite For Youth Bowlers**

Saturday, May 7th, is Fun Nite for the Youth Bowling Association (YBA). The youngsters will have their turn at bowling different ways at 4:30 at a cost of \$1.50. At 8 o'clock, the adults will have their chance to do their thing and the fee is \$3.00. It is hoped for a good turnout for this "end of the season" event, which will be held at Legion Lanes. Who knows, you might even do better than the regular way!

**Calendar of Events**

May 4- Past Matron will have picture taken at Temple 6:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m. For information call 348-8835.

May 4- Frederic Business Association meeting, 7:30 at Town Hall.

May 7th- Mushroom Contest, sponsored by Frederic Bus. Assoc. Hdq., D & M Gen. Store. Contest closes at 8 p.m.

May 12- Frederic Senior Citizen Dinner, Thursday at the Frederic Elementary School at 6 p.m.

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From Our  
Corner...

Welcome to our blah Monday night.

If what has happened today and this evening is any indication of what the rest of the week holds for us...not even the solitude of the 10th hole at the country club could help our state of mind.

Normal Monday's are always hectic—at least for us as we enter the count down stages to the eventual putting your favorite paper to bed Tuesday afternoon.

Not so this Monday—it has been just a blah day—we didn't even experience a partial cardiac arrest as no one sent in an article demanding front page coverage, even though it was a week old, of which we receive many.

There are times, we honestly believe people think the only page read in the Avalanche is the front page — and if this were true, we have been furnishing a lot of readers a lot of paper just to wrap their fish in.

Now we know why yesterday was blah—Tuesday morning replaced our normal Monday—our problem now is we only have a half day for decision making.

See what happens when we have a blah day—you end up reading a blah column.

There will be an Organizational Meeting  
of theCrawford County  
Taxpayer'sTONIGHT, MAY 4, at 7:30 p.m.  
in the Grayling High School Library  
THIS IS EVERYONE'S FIGHT—PLEASE ATTEND!

## Hearing Tests Scheduled

Grayling — Gaylord — Houghton Lake Area

Friday, May 6th

11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

## AuSable Motel

North I-75 Business Loop, Grayling

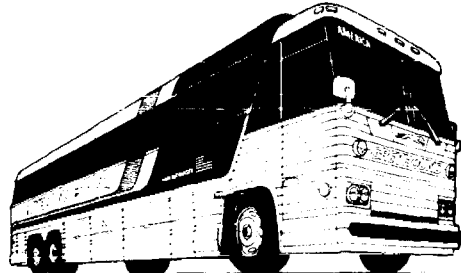
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Grayling 23 Years AgoINTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM  
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## 23 Years Ago

Thursday, May 6, 1954

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bunker had as recent guests their sons, Clifford and family of Flint and LeRoy and Family of Thompson.

Mr. Ben DeLaMater has returned to his home here after having spent several months in Saginaw with Mr. DeLaMater, who is employed with the railroad out of there.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Varnick have returned to their cabin on the river after spending the winter in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson spent the weekend visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Johnson down river.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duncan and children of Saginaw spent a few days of last week visiting at the W. J. Heric Home. They accompanied Mr. Heric home, after he had spent a couple of weeks visiting them.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Broadbent accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Merithew attended the monthly family dinner night of the I.O.O.F. at Roscommon Thursday night.

Mrs. F.J. McClain spent Monday of last week visiting her mother, Mrs. Ann LaGrow, in Detroit.

Ed Lowrie has broken ground for a new home on Rose Street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tufts visited in Birmingham a few days recently.

Mrs. Floyd Goshorn returned home last Saturday from Lansing where she had been the guest of her son Charles Wylie and family for the week. The Wylies accompanied her home and spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Pearl Babbitt and son Bruce went to Howard City on Friday, to spend the weekend visiting the Maurice and Keith Babbitt families.

## 46 Years Ago

Thursday May 7, 1931

Co. LeRoy Pearson of Lansing is at the Hanson State Military Reservation making plans for the summer camp.

Mr. and Mrs. James Eden, who have been making their home in Grayling with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Weiss have left for Springfield, Mo.

A number of High School Alumni met at the school building last night and organized an Alumni Club, to be known as the G.H.S. Alumni Association. Carl Doroh is President, Miss A. Ingeborg Hanson secretary and Roy Milnes Treasurer.

Mrs. Peter Nelson was 75 years old on May 4th and the event was celebrated at the A.L. Roberts home. All of her family were with her on the occasion.

Property at Frederic owned by Mrs. W. F. Hartman of River Rouge and occupied by the Arnold family, was destroyed by fire Saturday morning.

Grayling All City Baseball Team trounced Frederic Sunday afternoon, 16-6. DeVere Schmidt and Rudy Harrison were the battery for Grayling, and Clark and Johnson for Frederic. Art May, featured Shortstop, walked six times during the game. Others in the line-up were Robertson, 2nd base; T. Callahan, 3rd base; H. Schmidt, first base; Hendrickson, left field; Bidvia, centerfield; Woods, right field. The High School lost to Mio, by the score of 16-9. LaGrow scored four times for Grayling.

The following pupils in the first grade had perfect attendance for the month of April: Albert Bentley, Gloria Brown, Eleanor Buggy, Monica Brady, Donald Borchers, George Denewett, June Doroh, Ruth Ann Kernosky, Aileen Larson, Bobby Nelson, Jerome Wilcox, George Woods and Aileen Brown.

Gordon Pond is driving a new chevrolet coupe.

Mr. and Mrs. A.J. McInnis of Detroit are guests of the latter's brother, Roy McInnis and family. Mr. McInnis came for fishing.

Henry Wilson of Pontiac was in Grayling over Sunday. He married a Grayling girl, Miss Olive Welch and they reside on a farm near there. Sister M. Stella and Sister M. Gerard, accompanied by Misses Hendrickson and Elsie Burke attended the State

Nurses convention in Grand Rapids last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sorenson and daughter, Loretta, have returned from pleasure trip, to Detroit and drove back a fine new Graham-Page, which the family is enjoying. Several members of the Grayling Chapter O.E.S. have been awarded life memberships of late. Those honored include Mrs. H. Hanson, Mrs. H.D. Connine, Mrs. Mary Leece and M.A. Bates.

George Lietz and Sam Gust took a trip down the AuSable trout fishing starting Friday and were back in school Monday morning. Sam brought back a fine 1 1/2 inch brown trout.

The final of a series of games of pinocle was played at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Palmer Tuesday night. The seasons Highest prize was awarded to Mrs. John Stephan.

The Ladies Auxillary of the Golf Club held their first luncheon of the season. Officers were elected as follows: Mrs. Menno Corwin Pres.; Mrs. C.R. Keyport, vice pres.; Mrs. Fred Alexander, sec.; Mrs. Marius Hanson, Treas.; Mrs. C.G. Clippert held the score for bridge.

No Golf was played because of rain.

## 69 Years Ago

Thursday May 7, 1908

Heavy snow is reported in many sections of the state last Saturday, though we had but a little. Eight inches is reported at Hardgrove, Lewiston and Johannesburg.

W.S. Walker and wife were down from the farm Monday. They didn't come by sleigh, though 8 inches of snow was on the ground there Saturday.

I.H. Richardson of South Branch was in town last week "Happy as a big sunflower". He is one of the satisfied kind.

Hugh Smith of Ontario has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Oscar Hanson for a few weeks.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Brady of Frederic, a son on April 26th.

Axel Michelson is putting in his time at the new mill just being completed on the Michelson Lands in Roscommon County.

Hubbard Head of South Branch was in town Tuesday loaded with as fine apples as a man would desire, which were freely distributed among his friends.

Grandma Barber of Frederic is afflicted with muscular rheumatism.

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Revelation 3:7-13

The Lord Jesus Christ is here described as Holy and True; Attributes which are only possessed by God. He has the key of David speaking of His covenant relationship with Israel, and the multitude of resulting millennial blessings to all God's people including the Church. He is described as the one in control who opens and shuts doors of opportunity and growth. Verse 7.

Philadelphia means "brotherly love", and this church pictured brotherly love and faithful service. Jesus commends their works and reminds them that because of their faithfulness, He will hold the door open for them to grow.

The Church had three outstanding characteristics. They had strength. The power of the Holy Spirit was working in their midst. Second, They kept the Word of God. Their faith was based completely on the revealed Word of God alone. Third, they were faithful to the name or deity of the Lord Jesus Christ. They did not deny His virgin birth, sinless life, substitutionary death, burial and resurrection for their sins, ascension into Heaven and His imminent return to earth in the same glorified body. Verse 8.

The Lord said that those of "the synagogue of Satan" would someday be forced to bow in worship of Jesus Christ in the presence of this true Church. This truth is also found in Philippians 2:9-11. The true Church will worship Christ as a loving Savior. The Church of Satan will worship Christ as an angry Judge. The synagogue of Satan pictures for us all the false religious cults even of today who deny the deity of Jesus Christ or the trinity; Those who either deny the literal teachings of the Bible or add to the Bible by other books, visions, prophecies or any other written or verbal authority apart from the Bible; and those who operate under the power of Satan while claiming to be Christians. Verse 9.

The true Church has patiently waited for over nineteen hundred years for the return of the Lord Jesus Christ. Because this Church has faithfully believed the promise of God's Word concerning the coming of Christ, they will be rewarded before the great tribulation which is coming upon all the earth. The true people of God will be caught up to meet the Lord in the air and miss this entire seven years of

terrible judgment. Verse 10. In light of the second coming of Jesus Christ, the true church is encouraged to remain faithful until the return of Christ so they will not lose their rewards. Verse 11.

There are also millennial promises to the true Church. They will become "a pillar in the temple of my God." They will enjoy a permanent position in the presence of God. They will be identified with the name of God. They will have access to the new Jerusalem which the Lord Jesus Christ is now preparing in Heaven Verse 12. "He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches." Verse 13. (adv.)

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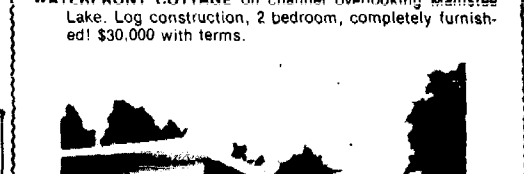
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**FOR SALE**—Electric Apartment size stove, \$10.00 also Hand craft corner shelves, \$10. Ph. 348-8998. -28-5-

**FOR SALE**—14' Clipper Craft, fiberglass, 55 HP Chrysler outboard. Complete with skis, bells, gas tank. Electric start. Needs seat covers, but otherwise in good condition. \$500. Call 348-3611 or 348-5242. 3/31/1

**GARAGE SALE**—Fri. April 29th until everything is sold. 2586 East M-72. Furniture and clothing. 4/26/1

**SPRING SALE**—at Kuk's Nursery. Would you believe this?? Only \$2.95 to dig your own Junipers, Mugho Pine, Arborvitae, single birch, and \$3.95 for all Japanese Yews. We have very nice crimson King Maples, Red Maples, Apple Pear, Lilacs, Flowering Crab, Golden Viceroy, Mountain Ash Burning Bushes and many others at our usual low prices. Robinson, the giant spring bearing strawberry plant at \$7.75 per hundred. Ozark Beauty, the everbearing strawberry only \$3.75 per hundred. Open every day 9-6. Located 8 miles north of Roscommon on Old M-76, 1000 feet south of the Black Bear Inn. Ph. 517-275-8491. -5-

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**FOR SALE**—1967 Chevrolet Window Van  
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**FOR SALE**—1975 Chevrolet Nova, 2 door, excellent condition, less than 12,000 miles. Ph. 348-5900. -5-12-

**APARTMENT FOR RENT**—2 bedroom efficiency, utilities paid, furnished including color T.V., linens and dishes furnished as desired, phone answering service, 24 hour laundromat, no deposit and children welcome. Phone 348-4641 for the best price in town, also, 1 room and small 2 bedroom at Lake Margrethe. -28-5-

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FOR SALE—102 Woodstock, Woodhurst Sub., Grayling. Nicely decorated, 3 bedroom ranch in wooded subdivision with many extras. Priced to sell at \$30,700 with a low down payment, immediate occupancy and financing available. Contact Ms. Omerbeck, FIRST SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION at 517/3497651 6/6/1

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**WILL BABYSIT**—in my home 6 days a week. Phone 348-9016. -5-12-

**YARD SALE**—5 family, Lake, thru Sun., 6:00 a.m. Thurs. in Karen Woods. -5-

**FOR SALE**—1965 Winnebago Travel trailer, 19.5 ft. good condition. \$1700. Call 348-8568. 5/5/1

**TIMBER WANTED**—The Forester for Devereaux Lumber Co. is now buying hardwood timber in this area. If you would be interested in an appraisal of your woodlot, please contact Richard Walser, Forester, Devereaux Brothers, Sawmill, Inc., Oakley, MI 48849. Ph. (517) 845 3266. 1/6/16

**FOR SALE**—1976 Dodge Charger, \$3,900, p.s., p.b., air conditioning, rear window defroster, low mileage. Call after 6 p.m., 348-6786. -28-5-

**Vacant Commercial Frontage**  
Several Choice Parcels Available in and around Grayling. Call Hal Walker Broker 348-5515 5/5/1

**LEISURE HOME PARTYS**—Free gifts for having party in your home. If interested call 348-8900, ask for Ruth. -5-12-19-

**FOR SALE**—Lake Margrethe, Margrethe Manor, 3 bedroom, built-in bunks, family room, appliances, 2 1/2 car garage, natural gas heat, \$44,500.00 Write Box E, C/O Avalanche, P.O. Box 490, Grayling, Michigan 49738. -5/5/1

**MOTEL WANTED**—I have client with 40,000 for down payment, wants 15 to 20 units. Call or Write, Chet Johnson, LaNoble Realty Business Brokers, 1516 E. Michigan, Lansing, Michigan, 517-482-1637. Home 517-624-9681. -5-

**FOR SALE**—2 lots, 9 miles East of Grayling on North Down River Rd. Lot 3 & 4 Wakeley Woods, 90' X 300'. Can be sold separately, \$2700.00 ea. Write P.O. Box 616, Mio, Michigan, 48847. -5-12-

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**FOR SALE**—1975 Rabbit 1973 Chevrolet Malibu Station Wagon. Have other cars will take yours in trade. Phone 348-8546. -5-

**FOR RENT**—Mobile Home furnished, near town. Adults Only. Phone 348-9122. -5-

**AGENT A & H**  
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**EXPERIENCED LADY**—will babysit days. Reasonable, loves children. In your home. Ph. 348-5952. -5-

**CABIN 3 BR**—fireplace, wooded 2 acres, 3 miles northwest of Grayling, near East Branch AuSable, \$16,500. J.J.M., 8189 Appleton Dearborn Hgts. Mich. 48127 313-563-7811. -5/5/1

**FOR SALE**—1965 Winnebago Travel trailer, 19.5 ft. good condition. \$1700. Call 348-8568. 5/5/1

**APPLICATIONS**—from Licensed Electricians will be accepted through May 23, 1977 for position as Electrical Inspector for the Crawford County Housing Rehabilitation Loan Program. Applications may be obtained from the C.E.T.A. Office in the Crawford County Courthouse. -5-

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**FOR SALE**—Ice Cream House on M-72, 8 miles West of Grayling, \$9,000.00 cash or terms. Call after 6 p.m. 348-8786. -28-5-

**FOR SALE**—1973 Dodge Swinger, 2 door, p.s., snow tires, Mint condition. Call 348-7611 or 348-7730. Ask for Hertha. -28-5-

**FOR SALE OR LEASE**—Amoco Service Station in Frederic also 1974 Chevrolet pickup 3/4, 4 x 4 with plow, 37,000 miles. We buy and sell gasoline and fuel oil tanks. C.F. Chuck Fick and sons. Amoco Jobber. -5-

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1975 Ford Camper Special  
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## Death Defying Act Have Your Blood Pressure Taken

May has been designated hypertension month and in conjunction with this event the local chapter of the American Red Cross Nurses, Hospital Nurses, Health Department and the local district of the Michigan Nurses Association will conduct a free Blood Pressure screening clinic on Tuesday and

Wednesday, May 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> from 1-8 p.m. at the Michelson Methodist Church.

What may happen when high blood pressure is not kept under control?????

Medical research has shown that unknown hypertension, over the years, can increase risk of complications as stroke, certain heart conditions and kidney damage. Unfortunately a person with hypertension may continue to feel perfectly healthy and experience no discomfort, even while the silent damage is being done.

Like most people we have heard a great deal of talk about stroke. About how being overweight or having diabetes, or even smoking excessively can increase the risk of having a stroke.

These are all true and all very important. But there is another significant thing about strokes many people do not know.

The single, biggest cause of strokes is high blood pressure. Most people cannot tell when their blood pressure is high. They never know until they have it taken by a doctor or nurse. Which is the point we would like to make about high blood pressure.

The worst hazard high blood pressure presents is not knowing you have it. So perform a death defying act and have your blood pressure taken May 10<sup>th</sup> or 11<sup>th</sup>.

**WARNING!!!!**

**Breakfast and Bake Sale**  
Frederic Boy Scout Troop 978 is sponsoring a Breakfast and Bake Sale, Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 to 12:30 at the Frederic Sportsman's Hall. Price is Adults 12 and over \$1.85. Children 11 and under \$1.25. Pre-school free. Everyone Welcome.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I would like to thank everyone for the cards, flowers and letters during my stay in Munson Medical Center.  
Roy Lovely

**BINGO**  
American Legion Post 106  
106 James St.  
Grayling, Michigan  
Every Thursday 7-10 p.m.  
Proceeds to Building Fund. 4/24/1

**FOR SALE**—1970 V.W. square back, good condition. Call 348-8568. 5/5/1

**YARD SALE**—Many Antiques, bikes, dishes, old books, old bottles, many misc. items. May 5, 6, & 7, 311 Arthur St. Grayling, 348-9337. -5-

**WANTED**—Live in babysitter. Own Room Own Bathroom. For More Information Phone 348-7400 days or 348-7423 nights. -1/-

**The First Hundred Years**—Grayling's Centennial book, has had another printing due to the numerous requests received for same. Copies are available for \$6.00 from the Avalanche Office, Cornell Realty or Rochette's Party Store. For mail orders, add .50c for postage and handling 4/7/1

**FOR SALE**—Hough payloader, 4 wheel drive, 9 ft. lift, capacity 9,000 lbs., weight 14,700 lbs., 6 cylinder gasoline. Call 275-5442 after 5 o'clock. -5-

**DOWNTOWN BUILDING FOR SALE OR LEASE**. Interested parties contact North Michigan Land and Oil Corp., 110 Michigan Ave. Ph. 348-2261. -28-5-

**RESTAURANT EQUIPMENT**—repossessed, 2 door refrigerator, freezer, grill, fryer, broiler, steam table, microwave oven, bun steamer, work table, mixer, make up air, soft serv., pizza oven, toaster, range, hood, tables, chairs, more. Call collect for Mitch, 616-946-7760. -28-5-

**Legal Notice**  
**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court For  
The County of Crawford  
Estate of John E. Kellogg,  
Deceased  
File No. 3643

**NOTICE OF HEARING**  
**TAKE NOTICE:** On June 3, 1977, at 2:00 p.m., in the Probate Courtroom, Grayling, Michigan, before Hon. Emil L. Kraus, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Marian B. Kellogg, Widow, for a determination of heirs of said deceased. Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and Court Rule.  
Dated: April 25, 1977  
Marian B. Kellogg  
Petitioner  
310 Orchard Drive  
Northville, Michigan 48167  
Attorney for Petitioner:  
Philip R. Ogilvie P 18425  
104 West Main Street  
Northville, Mich. 48167  
Phone 1-313-349-2600 5

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Thursday, May 5, 1977

## OBITUARIES

**Mrs. Fred Papendick Dies in Washington**  
Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Fred (Carrie) Papendick, 89, on April 3rd in Auburn, Washington. She was born September 18, 1887. She is survived by two daughters, Arabelle of Cascade, Montana and Doris of Seattle, Washington. Her husband preceded her in death. Mrs. Papendick was a sister-in-law of Gene Papendick.

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**TUESDAY-WORTH-DRIVING-FOR-COUPON**  
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**COTTAGE CHEESE 49¢**  
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**WEDNESDAY-WORTH-DRIVING-FOR-COUPON**  
COLUMBIA—LB.  
**SLICED BACON 59¢**  
THIS COUPON ENTITLES THE BEARER TO [one] LB. OF COLUMBIA SLICED BACON AT 59¢.  
ALL ADDITIONAL PURCHASES WILL BE CHECKED OUT AT THE REGULAR SHELVE PRICE.  
**COUPON GOOD ONLY MAY 11, 1977**  
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Public Notice

Notice is hereby given that the Northeast Michigan Manpower Consortium has applied for an allocation of \$429,838 from the Bureau of Employment and Training, Department of Labor, Lansing, Michigan on April 29, 1977, under the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA) of 1973, Title III.

The purpose of this grant is to provide employment and training for Disadvantaged Youth over the eight county area of the Consortium which consists of Alcona, Alpena, Cheboygan, Crawford, Montmorency, Oscoda, Otsego, and Presque Isle.

The complete application may be reviewed at the Northeast Michigan Manpower Consortium office, Washington Avenue, Onaway, Michigan between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Comments concerning this grant should be addressed to Northeast Michigan Manpower Consortium, Box "G", Onaway, Michigan and the Bureau of Employment and Training, State Secondary Complex, 1150 Harris Drive, Lansing, Michigan 48926.

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Phone the Avalanche - 348-6811

Wildlife-Friend or Foe?

Willard E. Bosserman  
May 11, Dr. Glenn Dudderar, Michigan State University Extension Wildlife Specialist will tell home owners how to keep squirrels and bats out of the attic. He will also give tips on ways to keep deer and rabbits from eating your garden. The meetings are scheduled for 1:30 p.m. in the Grayling city hall and for 7:30 in the basement meeting room of the county building in Roscommon.

The subject matter for these two meetings would indicate that wildlife was some sort of enemy. Not so, however, sometimes they do become a nuisance and we need to take some steps to keep them where they belong.

Those who attended the camping workshop in Grayling April 16 will remember Dr. Dudderar told how to find wildlife to enjoy while camping.

It's not an either/or, but I do get many calls during the summer asking how to control wild animals who are living a little closer to the home than the home owner would like. The meetings will give you information which will help you enjoy wildlife as well as keep wild animals out of your house and garden.

CARD OF THANKS

A sincere thanks to all my friends and relatives for the beautiful cards; also their visits during my stay in the hospital and at my home.

Jo Chappel

"Two Cents Worth"

By Rod Denley

Two cents worth of gasoline. A puddle on the pavement soaking into the tar.

How did it get there, it's simple. I pulled into a garage and asked the man to fill my tank. He wants five extra cents a gallon to do the work. Half a buck on a tank of gas. That's a fair exchange...creates employment.

I turn up my stereo and lean back for a few minutes soaking up the sun. He pours the gas into my tank, leaning against the side of the truck. My windshield has got the SPLATS...bloody yellow smears that used to be beautiful moths and butterflies...mind wiping off my window?

"Sure," he says and wanders off to get the washer. It's part of the deal you know. He pumps and you get a free windshield wash, the service part of the service station ethic.

He splashes the water around. Gets off half the bugs and I realize as usual that most of the dirt is smeared from my dog's nose on the inside. He still believes he can get his head through the glass.

The gas man turns around and tosses the windshield washer towards the bucket...two points...they never miss. The meter rings away and the money rolls along. Gas crisis I think...and I'm watching to see how many gallons its gonna hold. The dollars and cents creep up as well. It's hitting the \$6.65 point when the gas hits the top of the tube and the pump shuts off. Now here comes the two cents worth. He lifts the nozzle up to the top of the tank and watching the meter starts creeping it up slowly. \$6.90 to \$6.96 and he hangs right in there...won't have to make any change here he is thinking...now he is at \$6.98 and it's full. Won't take another drop. Some of the real together ones bounce their hip against the truck and the air bubbles float out and they can jam in another nickles worth.

Not this guy. He looks at that \$6.98 and pulls harder on the trigger. There goes that two cents worth spilling down the side of my truck and out onto the pavement. It drips down slowly forming a puddle. He walks up to the window and says "That will be \$7."

What he means is that I got \$6.98 cents worth of gas and the parking lot got two cents worth.

Sadly it is more a rule than an exception. I wait for my change. He has enough brains to subtract \$7 from a \$10 bill and brings me my \$3. For some reason he can't use the same brains to add another two cents to the total if he had stopped at \$6.98. It's easier to spill it all over the ground. Is there a shortage of change along with the gasoline shortage?

I drive away thinking that for this I am paying an extra 50 cents per tank of gas.

The first time I filled my own tank at a self-serve station I found out the lady at the counter knew how to make change. She has been doing it for me ever since.

Editor's Mailbox

Dear Sir:

I recently had occasion to receive emergency treatment at Mercy Hospital in Grayling and would like to take this occasion to thank Dr. Fine and the staff for prompt and efficient service. I think the Community can be proud of the Facility.

I would also like to thank the Sheriff's Dept. for monitoring CB channel #9 and giving us information and directions.

Very truly yours,

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# Faithful Fan?

BASEBALL PALES AS SUPERMEN  
ARE REPLACED BY MILLIONAIRES

Sports these days is losing much of its magnetism for me.

That's quite an admission for an old sports writer, participant, Little League coach, etc. It's also quite a change.

Baseball has always been my special field. Fan I have been, boy and man, since the days of Elden Aufer and Gabby Hartnett and their contemporaries. Why, I even remember when Rudy York came up to the Tigers, and when Beaumont, Tex., was the Tiger's main farm team.

But I'm slipping away from baseball fandom, and I heartily deny it has anything to do with age. It all comes down to money.

How can any baseball player be worth \$400,000 a year, as Pete Rose recently extracted from the Cincinnati Reds? How can any player command the type of multi-million-dollar arrangement Reggie Jackson drew out of the Yankees?

Obviously, they are not worth that much money. How much money is a million dollars anyway, for gosh sakes? Most of us live and die and never have any real recognition of the value of a million dollars.

Where are the supermen of yesterday? Where have all the selfless heroes gone? The game's the thing, isn't it?

The supermen have been replaced by the millionaires, with options, and clauses, and deferred payments, and all.

The selfless heroes have been replaced by the agents and the player strikes and the jealousies and the determination to keep up with Gary Matthews and the Catfish Hunters and the Joe Rudis.

Along the way, the game, and its attractions for me, are down the drain. Not enough is left for the fan of sport. I am not abandoning baseball; it has abandoned me.

Perhaps I am too harsh. Perhaps the players are more attracted by competition than by money. Perhaps there can be both magnetic poles in a true sportsman.



Richard Milliman

Bill Bradley, one of the more articulate persons ever to grace the professional sports scene, this season is quitting professional basketball. Bradley a couple of years ago spelled out some of his reasons for playing in a book called "Life on the Run." A section goes like this:

"I often ask myself why I continue to play. In 1967, when I first signed, I was convinced that I would play no more than four years, the length of my initial contract. I'm still playing.

"One reason is the money. The average salary in the National Basketball Assn. is close to \$100,000. Many players make more than \$150,000. There is no question that it gives me a sense of security, and a greater feeling of freedom, mobility and accomplishment. "But the money is not the sole reason I play. The answer lies much deeper in the workings of the game and in me.

"I recall, for about the 50th time this season, how it was in 1970, the first time we won the NBA championship. I stood at midcourt in Madison Square Garden, two fists raised, chills coursing up and down my spine.

"Since I was nine years old, I had played basketball to become the best. Individual honors were nice but insufficient. An Olympic gold medal gave satisfaction, but it was not top-flight basketball. The NBA was clearly the highest caliber in the world, and there I was a part of the best team."

"All those statements of team solidarity expressed since high school; all the hours of loneliness, dribbling and shooting a basketball in a gym somewhere in the world; all the near misses in the smaller championships-high school and college of America's sports hierarchy; all the missed opportunities in other fields; all the denied personal enjoyment; all the conflicts suppressed and anger swallowed..."

"Everything seemed worth it for the feeling at center court on May 8, 1970."

If I should even suspect that most major league baseball players approached their tasks with the sensitivity and the motivation of Bill Bradley, then I might come back to baseball.

## Par for the Course

By Fay Boyce

Well, men, the ladies are out ahead of you again! Shirley Bendig shot an "eagle" on number 4 while playing Saturday afternoon, April 23rd. A good drive was followed by a second shot with three wood down the dog leg. It hit a tree and came back into the fairway. A shot with her 9 iron dropped it into the cup.

The opening party has been scheduled for May 21st. Somewhere else in this issue, you'll find the info. See you there!

Pete Slack, our greenskeeper is hard at work again. We see Ann Smith's and Ilene Pond's smiling faces at the bar.

The course is in excellent shape after a very hard winter. Several improvements have been made including soggy spots in front of six and nine greens being filled in.

The men's leagues are starting the week of May 9.

And-the Grayling Golf Club auxiliary held their organizational meeting on Tuesday evening at the Country Club. President Mabel Gothro presided at the meeting.

The first day of regularly scheduled play will begin on May 18-but all golfers that could attend, were meeting at the club on Wednesday morning, May 4 with Preston Slack. They were going to have a refresher course in golf rules and golf etiquette. About 50 women will participate this season in three flights. Scheduling is being worked out and will be available to all golfers before May 18.

On the first three Wednesdays, the ladies will be "brown bagging it" but on June 8, potluck will start with a different flight being responsible for the noon luncheon.

## CB'ing at Random

Every now and then I run into someone who is considering getting into CB but are hesitant at the thought of spending lots of money on radio equipment. Many believe that a person must spend large amounts to be able to become a "CB Good Buddy", and enjoy the new world of CB. I also run into new CBers that have already got a unit in their car and are considering a base station, but are scared away by the prices of base station radios and antennas, not to mention the construction of towers and supporting equipment.

For these people I have taken a look around the local radio supply houses, and came up with what I call the "EL CHEAPO BASE". The cost of which is possible less than many of you paid for your mobile unit alone. The price includes everything that a person would need except tax and labor to put it up.

The whole secret is to shop around. Many radio dealers have specials that are offered to the public from time to time on 12 Volt mobile radios. Usually these are 25 channel units, and can be had for about \$60 to \$70. Prices may vary from brand to brand depending on what the individual wants, but for this example I will go with just a "Plain Jane 23".

The next item needed is some way to power this unit in your home. On this item I could have went the cheap route and got by for about \$26. This is very important because it provided a constant voltage even if a power drop or "Brownout" occurs. It will also control power surge that might occur when power is restored after a power failure. These two conditions could burn out the radio if it were to occur. Don't try to scrimp on this item.

The antenna need not be real expensive. I chose a simple 1/4 wave ground plane style and RG58/U cable with a simple chimney mounting and ground wire. The cost of this was about \$32.

Total price came to less than \$120 for the complete set up.

This low cost base was compiled to show the new CB'er that he can get on the air with a small outlay of money. The unit should provide good range and many hours of enjoyment. It would give the novice a good starter base. Maybe later on he would like to move up to a larger base station and a bigger antenna after he saves for the one that he has been dreaming about. I have operated just such a radio, and found that it does an adequate job.

So don't just dream about CB. Get it on the action. I have listed below the items needed for the "EL CHEAPO BASE". With these items and an afternoon work, you could be on the air, and maybe even talking to good old "Handcut".

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TAURUS  
Apr. 20-May 20

There seems to be some secret activity around you—some probing beneath the surface. Be wary.

GEMINI  
May 21-June 20

You take on a leadership role. There may be competition but your friends are looking to you for the cue.

MOONCHILD  
June 21-July 22

More than usual activity on the job causes you to put more energy into your work, resulting in important advancement.

LEO  
July 23-Aug. 22

Opportunity arises for you to go on an interesting trip, possibly a religious tour. It gives you a great emotional pickup.

VIRGO  
Aug. 23-Sept. 22

Business affairs or partnership finances are emphasized. Look around for salvageable items that can be converted to cash.

LIBRA  
Sept. 23-Oct. 22

It looks like love and romance is all around you. Librans. It's a time for pleasurable pursuit.

SCORPIO  
Oct. 23-Nov. 21

Overindulgence creates ill feeling—physically and mentally. Start a diet and exercise routine.

SAGITTARIUS  
Nov. 22-Dec. 21

Lady Luck is at your side this week, smiling on your efforts in love, speculation, finance, et al.

CAPRICORN  
Dec. 22-Jan. 19

Home will be a lively hub of activity. Get everyone involved in constructive projects and avoid possible friction.

AQUARIUS  
Jan. 20-Feb. 18

Heavy involvement in meetings, phone calls, correspondence, brings happy solutions and a feeling of satisfaction in work well done.

PISCES  
Feb. 19-Mar. 20

Financial affairs look promising. Buying and selling activities should be favorable. It's a good time to secure desired items.

## Camp Shawono Activities

Minutes of the C.A.A.C. meeting held at Camp Shawono on 4/5/77

Members present: Cathy Kraus, Laureen Shively, Cai Knowles, Julia Kroll, Dick Wieber, Robert Smock Jr. Also attending: Mr. Richard Manley, Director of Camps, George Morse, counselor for Camp Shawono, 5 council members from the camp and a guest Jim Hietbrink.

Richard Manley, director of camps gave the monthly statistics for March 1977. 6 new boys admitted, 7 released, average length of stay 6 months for those released, 16 home visits during the month with 15 truantees from camp. It was brought up that this did not mean 15 different boys truant, as some of them went more than once.

He also announced that Camp Shawono is the only program in Institutional Services to receive full licensing status so far.

The camp slides were presented which will be used in presentations by council members to organizations in town. Julia Kroll and Dick Wieber agreed to serve as a committee, with perhaps one or two campers, to edit and arrange the slides before the next council meeting to get them ready for presentation.

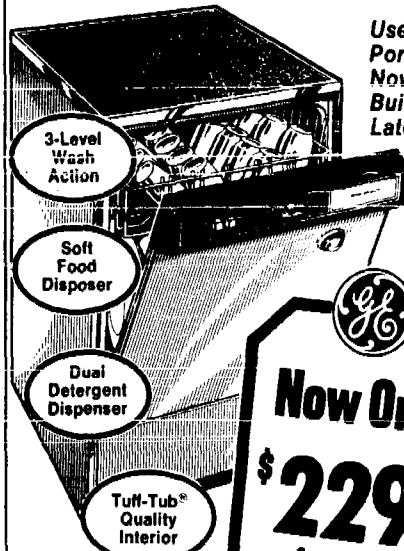
The campers asked if volunteers could be found to aid them in outside activities such as fishing, softball, etc. Mr. Smock said he had a softball team which would be happy to come out and play against the campers.

Robert Smock Jr. talked to the council and campers regarding his environmental project which had been discussed at an earlier meeting. The project would include the cleaning up of the AuSable River, the Manistee River, County roadsides. They hope to have a much larger project going this year from possible June through August. He felt it would give good publicity to the camp if the boys could and would participate. Ways were discussed to work this out and he will report back to the camp when he has more details worked out, hopefully with the D.N.R.



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An open letter to the Voters of the Crawford AuSable School District.  
Dear concerned voter:

May 5, 1977

My name is Mickey Perez and I am a candidate for a 4 year term on the school board. I moved to Grayling with my husband Ray, wildlife biologist for Crawford and Kalkaska County and our two daughters Maria and Margarita. Having been in the Grayling area less than 5 years, I have not met every one of you; however, in the next few weeks I hope you will become acquainted with me and my views. I will be available to discuss the issues at community meetings and by phone at my office (348-7059) or at home (348-8871).

Upon graduating from Michigan State University, I entered the field of public accounting and became a certified public accountant in 1968. Before moving to Grayling, I worked for certified public accounting firms in Michigan and Ohio; primarily in the areas of audits of municipal governments and school systems and the accounting and taxation of corporations and individuals. Presently, I have my own accounting practice in Grayling.

I am very concerned about our school system as all the other candidates are, and I know your decision in this election will be a difficult one to make. I am a candidate because I feel that with my background as a certified public accountant and with my previous experience, I am qualified to lend the financial insight needed to manage the schools resources in these times of high taxes, high unemployment and rising costs.

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## School Activities Calendar

Friday, May 6

Tonight is the second performance of the Broadway Musical "L'il Abner" at the high school auditorium. Today is the Bonzie Invitational Track Meet for both the boys' and girls' track teams. The boys' team will be traveling to Oscoda today for a match.

Saturday, May 7

Tonight is the final performance of the Broadway Musical "L'il Abner" at the high school auditorium. The Grayling High School Curtain Call will be held at 8 p.m.

Monday, May 9

The St. Mary's Ladies Club will use the high school cafe this afternoon at 1 p.m. for a variety of food items. The varsity baseball teams from the area will play at Kalkaska.

Tuesday, May 10

The varsity basketball teams will meet both Charlevoix and Grayling at 7 p.m. at the high school gym. The tennis team will take a match at 10 a.m. at the home court.

Wednesday, May 11

The varsity basketball teams will meet in the Grayling Elementary School gym at 7 p.m. The Crawford County Youth Services will meet at the Grayling Elementary School at 2:00 p.m. The varsity basketball teams will meet at 7 p.m. at the high school. The varsity football team will play at the Roscommon Bucks on the home field at 7 p.m. The track team will travel to the Upper Peninsula for the Grayling Invitational. The tennis team will play Petoskey here in Grayling.

Thursday, May 12

The varsity basketball teams will meet in the Grayling Elementary School Cafe this evening at 7 p.m. The local R.I.F. Program will hold a Bingo at the Grayling Elementary School at 2:00 p.m. The varsity basketball teams will meet at 7 p.m. at the high school. The varsity football team will travel to Boyne City this afternoon for a match.

## A Visit to Glen's Market

On Tuesday, April 10, our class went to Glen's Market. We walked through the store. Mr. Freeman showed us around. First we went to the meat department. We went where the meat was kept. When we went where the meat was cut we had to wear some hats. We went to the place where they cut it. They brushed the fat off. Mr. Freeman, the manager of the meat department.

After we went to the produce room where they keep all the oranges, apples, strawberries, and grapefruit. It was a little bit cooler than the other places. We also saw some other things and many new vegetables like cantaloupe, brussel sprouts, rhubarb, spinach and artichokes.

We went to the storage room. That is where they store their stock. Every day new stock comes in. There were different things in each box. When each box is empty they put it in a box crusher. It has an automatic opener. If you put your hand in and it comes down it will crush it. So you won't crush your hand. We went into the motor room where the motors are. In the motor room are two vents which make the motor room warm and cold. We also went after the milk is right in back is where the milk and other things are. The refrigerated back there. Then we went where the ice cream was kept. It was around 27 degrees. That is the coldest place.

Last but not least the coffee break room. After we got done they let us have a coffee break. They gave us slices of bologna, two kinds of crackers, and cheese also. We had about 20 minutes of a coffee break. Then we cleaned up our mess. Mr. Freeman gave us a three Musketeers bar. We said thank you and we left. We all thank Mrs. Beaver for taking us to Glen's Market.

## School Board Minutes

April 18, 1977

Meeting called to order by President Duley at 7:35 p.m., in the High School library. Present: Duley, Kolka, Burkley, Wyman, Ascent, Madril, Smock. Also present: Supt. Fraser Dean and Bus. Mgr. Paul Lerg.

Items of business:  
1. Moved by Kolka, supported by Wyman, to approve general fund checks 4126-4135, in the amount of \$24,212.58. Motion carried; all aye.

2. Response to letter in the Crawford County Avalanche.

3. Letter from Crawford AuSable federation of teachers on recommendations for June 13th election.

4. Discussion of mileage election. Moved by Wyman; supported by Burkley, to have mileage proposal in three parts: #1 9.15 renewal; #2 1.85 cents broken down as follows: 1.00 mills to maintain current program, 0.50 mills for textbooks and supplies, 0.33 mills for extracurricular activities; #3 0.50 mills to reinstate physical education in the elementary school and middle school at previous levels, replace elementary teacher aids, and add half-time girls counselor. Burkley, aye; Kolka, aye; Duley, aye; Wyman, aye. Motion carried.

5. Joint meeting to be held April 25, 1977, 8:00 p.m. at the City building to the Grayling Recreation Authority. Moved by Wyman; supported by Kolka, to adjourn the meeting at 8:55 p.m. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,  
Kathleen Burkley  
Secretary

Subject to change upon approval.

## Family Camping Workshop

### Held in Grayling



AL WESTERVELT—Grayling, film "Run, River, Run". Looking at RV on display.



LORLEE LINDSAY—Grayling, Dr. Glen Dudderar, Extension Specialist in Fisheries and Wildlife; Robert Lindsay, Grayling.

Merrily Baldwin, Ext. Home Ec.

Over 150 people participated in a Family Camping Workshop Saturday, April 16, at Auman's House of Catering in Grayling.

The Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service presented the day-long program, which attracted families from all over the state.

Dr. Glen Dudderar, Extension Specialist in Fisheries and Wildlife, shared "Enjoying Animals and Birds on Campouts". Each season of the year offers its own attractions: Spring, of course, finds birds and wildlife displaying the most colorful of behaviors during their mating seasons. Dr. Dudderar demonstrated birdcalls and various animal sounds that can help any camper bring the wildlife into close view.

Al Westervelt, of Grayling, introduced the DNR film, "Run River, Run". He also provided materials promoting canoeing in the area.

"Food Selection and Safety for Campouts" featured information campers need to ensure family members' health when on a day-long or week-long outings. Dr. Estes Reynolds, Extension Specialist in Food Science and Human Nutrition, warned against taking food into the wilds (or the local campground) without proper planning. Food spoilage is dependent upon the presence of water, the right environmental conditions, and lack of cleanliness. Anything carried dry, or cold enough will be safer than the same foods left moist. Commercially

freeze-dried food, compressed foods, vacuum packed foods—all are examples of packaging which take the food spoilage into account.

Even those who never planned to do any wilderness traveling were spellbound by Dr. Paul Risk's discussion of "Wilderness Survival and Edible Wild Plants". His rules of survival under adverse condition included: travel in threes at all times. Tell two people where you're going, and be prepared to meet your basic needs for fire, shelter, water, food, and making signals.

A sideshow of commercial exhibits received the audience's attention during coffee and breaks.

Dr. Dudderar will be in this area again May 11 when he will be discussing ridding your yard and garden of pest-damaging animals and birds. Some other programs offered locally by the Cooperative Extension Service include Roscommon County 4-H Spring Achievement May 14; Oscoda County 4-H Spring Achievement May 7; Campus Day for Women May 14; Wildflower Tour May 14; and Tourism Education May 14. Cooperative Extension Service programs are open to all without regard to race, creed, or national origin. For more information on an Extension program, call Roscommon 275-5040, or Mio 826-3280.

## Audubons To Meet

Notice of Meeting Kirtland Audubon Chapter Annual Meeting and Election of Officers will be held 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 11, 1977 Kirtland Community College Commons Room.

Harold Mayfield, Ornithologist will deliver an illustrated lecture on the Red-necked Phalarope in the Arctic.

## Womens Assn. Elect Officers

At their annual Meeting held on Thursday, April 21 at the home of Dorothy Sumerix at Higgins Lake, The Roscommon Area Branch of the American Association of University Women elected officers for the coming biennium.

Officers elected were: 1st Vice President: Mrs. Lona Hamilton, Alger; 2nd Vice President: Mrs. Barbara Broadour, West Branch; Treasurer: Mrs. Juanita VanValin, Roscommon.

Continuing officers include President Mrs. Carol Stouffer of Houghton Lake and Mrs. Maxine Wampler of West Branch as Secretary.

The branch also chose their topic of study and action for the next two years: "The Politics of Food". This will include study of the environmental impact on food production, adequate nutrition for America and the world, production and distribution, food additives, domestic and foreign policy on food issues.

The Used Book Sale which has become an annual affair will be held on July 10 in Roscommon. Anyone having used books to donate can contact Dorothy Sumerix, Higgins Lake; Juanita VanValin, Roscommon; Ruth Grutnick, Grayling; Lona Hamilton, Alger and Beverly Shortt, West Branch.

Attending the State Convention in Kalamazoo on April 28-30 will be Carol Stouffer, President and Lona Hamilton, Vice President elect. Members of the 11 Michigan branches will be in attendance when Dr. Stephanie Bennett of Richmond, Virginia gives her keynote address.

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How does she do it? She evades this question.

If you ask me, a lot of people aren't like Mom. They stick to one job, one hobby, one project — and frequently turn their back on others.

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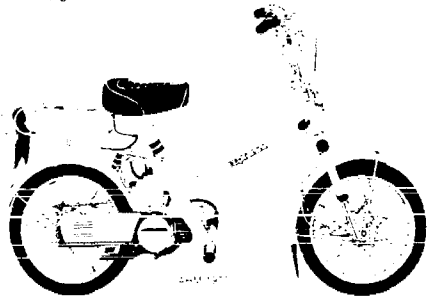
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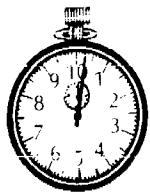
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## Vike Thinclads 0-2 for Season

By Jeff Schrader

Coach Jim Tobin's track squad piled up 20 1/2 points and finished third in a meet held on Tuesday, April 26th in Gaylord. Charlevoix accumulated 75 points to edge out Gaylord who finished a close second with 67 1/2 points. On Friday the Vikes lost a dual meet to St. Ignace, 99-34. In Grayling's loss to Gaylord, Freshman Todd Dunkley was a first place winner in the long jump. He also took a second in the 440 yard dash.

In the home contest against St. Ignace, Dunkley took a first place in the long jump with a 18' 4" mark and also took first place in the 100 yd. dash, sprinting the distance in 11.08 seconds. Ross Helmick took first place in shot putting with a 43' 9" toss. Tim Bitner ran and leaped his way to a first place victory in the 120 yd. high hurdles with an 18.5 second time.

Coach Tobin made the fol-

## VIKE TENNIS TEAM SPLIT TWO MATCHES

By Jeff Schrader

Grayling's Varsity tennis squad notched its first win of the season by topping Gaylord last Thursday, 4-3. Earlier in the week, however, the Vikes lost to Traverse City, 3-4.

Over this past weekend, Grayling's tennis team travelled to Whittemore for an Invitational Tournament and brought back a first place.

Tom Kaiser worked his way to the finals and then beat Gene Phelps from Whittemore, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3. In the same tournament, the Vike doubles team of Brian Ruddy, Boba Hoffman lost in a consolation match, 1-6, 6-4, 2-6. In singles action, Louis Madill also lost a consolation match to Scott Carpenter of East Jordan, 4-6, 3-6. Grayling's net squad finished third in the four team tournament. Other schools participating were Oscoda and East Jordan.

The Viking net team put a scratch in the win side of the won-lost column when they entertained Gaylord. It's apparent that the Grayling's real strength is in the singles category. The Vikes were successful in all four singles events but got wiped out in all the doubles matches.

Tom Kaiser won 6-0, 6-2. Louis Madill was triumphant 6-7, 6-4, 7-6. Bill Dean was successful 6-3, 6-0 and Skip Olsen then made it a clean sweep in singles, 6-2, 6-2. That made it 4-0 going into the doubles action. Grayling had a problem there.

All three teams went down to defeat, first Ted Maksaeruk, Jerry Weiss lost, 0-6, 4-6; Brian Ruddy-Nelly Lambert got beat, 4-6, 2-6 and to make the job complete, Gaylord beat the doubles team made up of Trent Brier-Mike Jurkovich, 6-2, 4-6, 2-6.

The only winners in the Vike loss to Traverse City were Tom Kaiser in singles, 6-2, 6-4, Louis Madill, 6-7, 6-3, 6-2 and Skip Olsen, 6-4, 6-4.

## Bits O' Talk

by Fay Bovee

Tom Miller, Bill Dean, Will Roach, Lewis Madill and Larry Baynham returned home recently after spending a two week vacation at Daytona Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Laurent and sons, Christopher and Gregory, of Traverse City, and Julie's mother, Mrs. Tillie Hunter, of Grayling, spent a week in Dale City, Virginia, visiting the Laurent's daughter and husband, Lt. and Mrs. Pat Doyle. While they were there, they also had dinner with Lt. Comm. and Mrs. Ron Walker (nee Kay Stephan) and family in Springfield, Va. Kay is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stephan of Cadillac.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McLeod have returned home after spending four months at Punta Gorda, Fla.

Friends of the Dunham and Libke families will be interested in knowing of the death of Frederick Libke, of Laurel, Maryland, son of Henry and Ardith Dunham Libke of Punta Gorda, Fla. He died on March 8 after suffering a heart attack while attending a seminar at the University of Maryland. He was chief designer for a private concern in the Navy. He is survived by his wife, Betty, and two sons, Fred, Jr. and Edward.

Dr. and Mrs. B. E. Henig are very pleased over the arrival of another granddaughter, Samantha Candace, was born on Sunday, April 24, to Gerald and Claudia Pielack of Detroit. She weighed 5 lbs. and 14 oz. and mother and daughter are doing fine. The Walter Pielacks of Detroit are the paternal grand parents.

Dr. and Mrs. Henig arrived home over the weekend after spending the month of April at Hilton Head, S. Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Longworth have arrived back at their home on the Ausable. They came Wednesday so that Chum would be here for the trout opening and report it's so good to be home. They spent the winter in Beacon Woods, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Seger and her mother, Mrs. Olive Coger, have returned to their Ausable River home from their winter home in Arcadia, Fla.

lowing comments after last week's action: "We've had two meets now and our boys have improved in almost every event. We have a team of only 18 or 19 and we're still in a building stage. I'm happy with our early results and feel that within the next couple of years we'll really build a strong team." The Vikings participated in a triangular meet with Boyne and Rogers City on Tuesday and will participate in the Benzie Central Invitational on May 6th.

## Local CF Bike-A-Thon on May 14

The Cystic Fibrosis Foundation will be sponsoring a "Cyclin' for CF" Bike-a-thon on May 14 from 10 am-4pm. The announcement was made by Casey Bush, volunteer chairperson for the 1977 CF Bike-a-thon.

The course will begin with registration at Middle School and will run for 3 miles. A participant may complete the course as many times as he wishes. The event is open to all persons who obtain prior sponsorship for at least 10 cents-mile. A person may get as many sponsors as can. All proceeds will go to benefit children stricken with Cystic Fibrosis and related lung-damaging diseases. Official CF "I Did It!" T-shirts will be awarded to all who bring in \$25 or more.

Cystic Fibrosis is a terminal, genetic disease which affects the lung and digestive system of children. One in 20 persons (over 400,000 Michiganders) are carriers of the recessive CF gene. Research sponsored by the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation has increased the life expectancy of CF children by more than 16 years in the past 15 years of activity.

Anyone wishing to participate in this project should contact Youth Services at 348-7702 for further details and registration forms.

## Kirtland

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thologists' Union, Wilson Ornithological Society, in 1960 he received the Conservation Award of the Detroit Audubon Society for his work in behalf of the Kirtland's Warbler. In this effort, he still remains active, serving on the Recovery Team assigned to this species by the Department of the Interior. His book, The Kirtland's Warbler, brought him the highest honor in American ornithology, the Brewster Memorial Award.

Honor student C. Irene Westphal, who is graduating Summa Cum Laude, will also speak. The Reverend Ronald Link, St. Helen-South Branch Community Baptist Church, will give the Invocation and Benediction.

The Grayling High School Band will provide the music. A reception for the graduates will follow.

## Lovells Home Extension

The Lovells Home Extension Group met at the home of Lottie Harris with 15 members present. A lovely salad luncheon was served by the hostess and co-hostess, Alma Kammer.

The meeting opened with reading of the Homemakers Creed. Roll call was followed by craft items made by the members. A short business meeting was held and program books were made up. Members were reminded to bring old Christmas cards to the next meeting, to be given to the Gaylord State Hospital. The Mystery package was won by Helen Spencer. A discussion was held concerning the annual college Scholarship.

At the May meeting each member is to have a word, in any language, that they have learned the meaning of. The meeting will be on Wednesday, May 11th, at the Women's Club House with Betty McGowan as hostess.

Hazel Koernike  
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### Honored on 50th anniversary

A reception for Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Ziegler of Grayling on their 50th wedding anniversary was held Saturday evening, April 23, in the Bloomfield Village home of their daughter and son-in-law, Lois and Jerry Cervenak. Co-hosts were their son and daughter-in-law, Patricia and Ronald Ziegler.

Dinner was served to 36 guests, who came from Ontario, Canada; St. Clair, Detroit, Warren, Royal Oak and Grayling. Mr. and Mrs. John Small of Grayling drove the Zieglers down in their travel home so Mr. Ziegler, who is in poor health, could be comfortable.

A surprise guest was Harry Frommle, who Mr. Ziegler had not seen in many years.

The Zieglers received messages of congratulations from Florida, St. John, and St. Stephen, N.B., Canada, Toronto, Ontario, Canada and Williamsburg, Virginia.

### Moose Chatter

By Clarence Tetling

We have reached another milestone in the history of Grayling Moose 1162; another year has gone by and now we are starting a new one. The new officers would like to say "a job well done" to the past officers; also, a sincere plea to all our new members as well as the old ones, whether you voted for us or not. "We need your help in this coming year to make our plans and some of our dreams and yours come true".

We would like to thank the brothers and sisters that helped with the Beaver Dinner Saturday night.

The next regular meeting is this coming Friday, May 6th, at 8 p.m.

Now I would like to leave this thought with you—It's great to be a Moose!

### APPRECIATION

The 76-77 Headstart children would like to thank George Kligman, owner of the Pizza Castle for the wonderful lunch. He provided us with so much delicious pizza our little tummies were really full.

### Bits O' Talk

by Fay Bovee

A daughter, Amanda Lee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Piper on April 29th at Munson Medical Center in Traverse City. The little lady weighed 4 lbs. 13 ozs. at birth. Her proud grandparents are Col. Edmund Rutkowski of Grayling and Mrs. and Mrs. James Piper of Bradford Lake. Mrs. Ann Brown of Grayling is the great-grandmother.

Minnie Underwood, sister of Dee Moyer, passed away April 8 in Greencastle, Indiana. She was 76 years old.

Mrs. Dan Hoels and sons, Ernie and Emerson, returned to their homes here last Tuesday after spending the winter in Mesa, Arizona.

Mrs. Mildred Crosby is a patient in Room 504, 5th floor, St. Luke's Hospital in Saginaw. All her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Josephine Morley has returned home after spending the winter months in Hawaii. Her sister, Mrs. Anthony DeFiore of North Attleboro, Mass., is spending some time here with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bobenmoyer and twin daughters, Sara and Bethany, returned recently from a 10 day trip to Tucson, Arizona. They visited friends that had been in the service with Keith. The visited several places of interest including Mexico, Salt River Canyon, a desert museum and Old Tucson, which is used often as a movie studio.

Dan and Mary Jo McIsaac of Denver, Col. are the proud parents of a baby girl that arrived on Easter Sunday April 10. The little lady has been named Jayne Marie and weighed 8 lbs. 2 oz. Mr. and Mrs. Irving McIsaac are very happy over the arrival of their first grandchild. Great grandmothers are Mrs. Delvia McIsaac of Bay City and Mrs. Edna Raville of Mackinaw City.

Ann Dosch has arrived home from Western Michigan U. Kalamazoo, and is spending the summer with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Paul Dosch. She is employed at Glen's Market and the Grayling House.

Mrs. Laura Olson arrived home last Friday from Ft. Lauderdale where she spent the winter. Nets Olson flew down to spend a few days with her and drove her home.

### MERCY HOSPITAL NEWS

The following were among the patients at Mercy Hospital this week: Betty Beck, Sherry Bonamie, Joseph Burger, Hazel Isenhauer, Adelaide Laurence, Paul Loeffler, Chester Orlikowski and Marilyn Stancil, all of Grayling.

Those released during the week included William Ellingboe, Jr., John Lawrence, John Mason and Brenda Wisniewski, all of Grayling; and Edward Dailey and Mary Duncley of Frederic.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Green of St. Helen are the parents of a son, Jason Andrew, born April 29, weighing 8 lbs. 15 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard McCarrie of St. Helen are also the parents of a baby boy on April 29. Burton Eugene weighed 6 lbs. 10 ozs. at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stancil of Grayling are the proud parents of a son, Nicholas George, on April 30. He weighed 7 lbs. 12½ ozs. at birth.

### Frederic Hobby Club

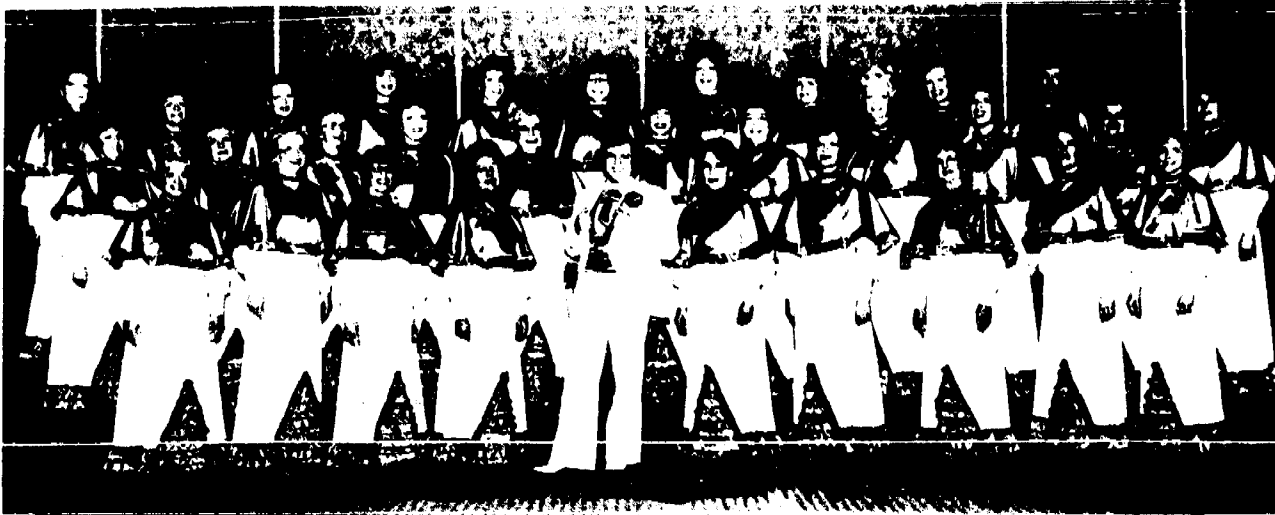
This was an activity meeting held at the home of Verna Bye with Margaret Wheeler as co-hostess. Our project was making vases out of old bottles. They were very pretty and unusual and everyone enjoyed the fun we had making them. There were 20 members present and 2 guests.

Final plans were made for the Mother and Daughter Banquet which is to be held Monday evening, May 9th, at 6:00 p.m. at the Frederic Town Hall. Everyone is welcome to come. For reservations, please call 348-8392. Admission is free, just bring a dish to pass and your own table service.

There will not be another meeting until Monday evening, May 23rd. Vi Middleton won the door prize.

Peg Partello, Corres. Sec.

## Sweet Adelines Honored in Ontario



### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF FREDERIC

About 40 friends attended the surprise birthday party given in honor of our pianist and Church treasurer and former Sunday School teacher, Mrs. Pauline Henion, in the Church parlor Sunday evening after our regular church service and communion. The traditional birthday cake and ice cream were served.

We also sang "Happy Birthday" to Douglas Pratt, one year old son of Ben and Donna Pratt. Mrs. Pat Bronsing, leader and hostess, Mrs. Rose Ann Owens, Mrs. Donna Pratt, and Mrs. Louise Mertes were responsible for the lovely affair. Congratulations, Pauline, and hope you have many more.

Mrs. Minnie Cameron, a former resident now living in Rochester, Mich. also attended the services for the day. Our attendance in Sunday School was 73.

Let's keep up the good work and go to the Youth Rally this Saturday Night at 7 p.m. at the Calvary Baptist Church in Gaylord and bring the attendance banner back again for the summer months. Brother Carmichael and his Cordovox will be there. See you.

The Mid-Michigan chapter of Sweet Adelines, who recently won recognition in regional competition are pictured with their director, John Moteware, in Center.

The Chapter of received fifth place honors and was judged the most improved chapter of the year in Region 3 competition at London, Ontario, April 16.

The local chapter placed behind London, Ontario, Flint, Mich., Windsor and Kitchener-Waterloo, Ontario in a field of some 20 chapters, according to Christina King, Mid-Mitten publicity chairman.

A Mardi Gras award for chapters under 30 members went to the Traverse City Northern Lites.

A plaque with the local chapter's name engraved on it was presented to the Mid-Michigan Sweet Adelines in recognition of the honor received.

Sharon Huss of Grayling was elected to the Regional Board of Directors. Installation was held in London, Ontario at the City Centre.

### EDITH JOHNSON HONORED ON 90TH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Carl Enlund entertained ten ladies at her Danish Landing home on April 18th at a noon luncheon honoring the 90th birthday of Edith Johnson.

A lovely luncheon of tuna casserole, ribbon jello, hot rolls and relishes was served. The luncheon ended with traditional birthday cake and ice cream. Following lunch, Mrs. Johnson opened her gifts.

Those attending included Mrs. Margaret Mangsen, Mrs. Mary Johnson and Mrs. Ellen Carlson. Coming from Bay City were Mrs. Alma Johnson, Mrs. Mayme Billings, Mrs. Margaret Stargay and Mrs. Ida Snogren.

### Youth Crusade

Saturday, May 7, at 7:00 p.m., A Northland Youth Crusade Rally will be held at Calvary Baptist Church, Gaylord.

Rev. Paul Carmichael of Huron Beach Baptist Church, Okemos, Michigan will be the guest speaker and will render sacred music to us by use of his Cord-O-Vox (hybrid accordian). The last time he conducted a rally was in February and his return is by request of the young people.

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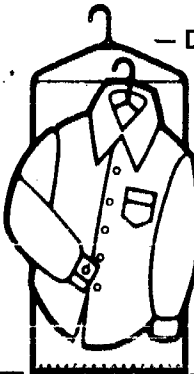
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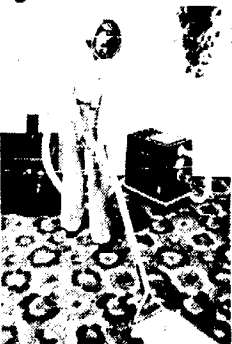
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# Last Day of Registration

# School Election

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF  
CRAWFORD AUABLE SCHOOL DISTRICT  
CRAWFORD, OTSEGO AND KALKASKA COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual School Election of the School District will be held on

MONDAY, JUNE 13, 1977.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 13, 1977, IS

MONDAY, MAY 16, 1977.

PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5:00 O'CLOCK, P.M., ON MONDAY, MAY 16, 1977, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

KATHLEEN A. BURKLEY  
Secretary, Board of Education

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**Friday:** Chicken Noodle Casserole, Peas and Carrots, Pears, Cookies, Bread and Butter.

Milk is served with all meals. Menu is subject to change without notice.

### Completes Army Course

Ft. Knox, Ky.--Army Private Robert C. Annis, whose wife, Janice, lives on Route 3, Grayling, recently completed an eight-week tracked vehicle mechanic course at the U.S. Army Armor School, Ft. Knox, Ky.

During the course, students were trained to repair engines, transmissions, and the fuel, electrical and hydraulic systems of the Army's tracked vehicles. They also learned to perform recovery operations for abandoned, damaged, disabled or mired vehicles.

The private entered the Army in July 1976.

Pvt. Annis is a 1969 graduate of Grayling High School.

His mother, Mrs. Hella W. Annis, lives at 117 Woodleaf Drive. His father, Alva C. Annis, lives at 710 Park St.

### Youth Services Proposal For Crawford County Environmental Program

- I. Goals and Objectives
  - A. To clean AuSable and Manistee Rivers
  - B. To clean Lake Margrethe's shoreline
  - C. To clean county roads
  - D. To assist Marine Patrol on County Waters
  - E. To build nature study trails along AuSable
- II. Rationale for Sponsor's Involvement
  - A. To employ local youth during summer
  - B. To instill positive environmental values at an early age in youth
  - C. To provide opportunities in conservation and law enforcement
  - D. To bring youth and community closer together
- III. Project Headquarters
  - A. Crawford County Courthouse
  - B. Youth Services Office
- IV. Job Sites and Work Projects
  - A. AuSable and Manistee Rivers
    1. Remove litter from rivers and river banks
    2. Possible assistance from Camp Shawano
    3. DNR coordinating trash removal
  - B. Lake Margrethe
    1. Remove debris from shoreline
    2. Assist Marine Patrol
  - C. County Roads
    1. Clean roadsides within County lines
    2. DNR providing list of eyesore areas within County
  - D. 'Guides Rest' on AuSable
    1. Build nature study trails
    2. Remove litter from river banks
- V. Staff Selection Methods
  - A. Employment opportunities announced in schools and local newspaper
  - B. Previous environmental program participants given priority-1976 summer river program
  - C. Final selection by Youth Services Staff
- VI. Project Administration
  - A. Staff will be seven persons
  - B. Enrollees will number seventeen youth
- VII. Projected date of operation
  - June 6, 1977 to August 26, 1977
- VIII. Use of Administrative Time
  - A. Director/Work Coordinator
    1. Informal meeting with enrollees each morning before work day
    2. A.M. and P.M. observation of each site
    3. Pre-determined expectations measured against actual work accomplished
    4. Materials, equipment coordination
    5. Community Public Relations Work
  - B. Environmental Education Coordinator
    1. Prepare materials for each site
    2. Review current environmental materials and situations
    3. On-site work/study participation
    4. Encourage environmental awareness
    5. Assist in coordination of work load
- IX. Staff Wages
  - A. Director/Work Coordinator-Paid
  - B. Environmental Education Coordinator-Paid
  - C. Supervisory positions (5)-Paid
- X. Enrollee Wages
  - A. River and Lake Crews
    1. Twelve persons X twelve weeks X \$2.30 per hour X 30 hours (five positions prepaid) \$5796.00
    2. Total cost (12 weeks) \$5796.00
  - B. Road Crews
    1. Two persons X 12 weeks X \$2.30 per hour X 30 hours \$1656.00
    2. Total cost \$1656.00
  - C. Guides Rest Nature Study Trails (1st month paid by Juvenile Justice Grant)
    1. Two persons X 4 weeks X 58 cents per hour X 30 hours \$139.20
    2. Second month-\$139.20
    3. Two persons X 4 weeks X \$1.15 per hour X 30 hours \$138.00
    4. Third month-\$276.00
    5. Total cost (12 weeks) \$415.20
  - D. Marine Patrol (1st month paid by Juvenile Justice Grant)
    1. One person X 4 weeks X 58 cents per hour X 30 hours \$69.60
    2. Second month-\$69.60
    3. One person X 4 weeks X \$1.15 per hour X 30 hours \$138.00
    4. Third month-\$138.00
    5. Total cost (12 weeks) \$207.60
- XI. General Expenses
  - A. First aid supplies-\$25.00
  - B. Materials-\$75.00
  - C. Total cost \$100.00
- XII. Total Youth Proposal Costs \$8,174.80

For further information, suggestions or ideas:  
Bob Smock  
Youth Services Director  
ph. 348.7702

### Bid Notice

The Crawford County Sheriff will be accepting sealed bids until May 16, 1977, at 9:30 a.m. on the following used patrol car. Car may be seen at the Sheriff's Office.


1972 Plymouth 4-door, Vehicle Identification #PK4142D 313910 Car is to be sold as is. The Crawford County Sheriff reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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**City Council Proceedings**

Regular Meeting of the City Council held Monday, April 25, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor McEvers at 7:30 p.m. Members present: Thompson, Johnson, Golinick, McEvers. Members absent: Hanson. Also in attendance: Jerry W. Morford, City Manager, Allen V. Schreiner, City Treasurer, Nelson A. Miles, City Attorney.

Motion by Golinick, supported by McEvers that the minutes of the meeting of April 11, 1977 be approved as presented. Ayes: 4. Nays: 0. Absent: 1. Motion carried.

Citizens who wish to speak:

Mrs. Vivian Nichols asked about the Unification Church again being in Grayling and soliciting without benefit of a permit. Mr. Morford stated that the Church members had been informed that it would be necessary for them to get a Transient Merchant Permit. They left town without getting a permit. Mrs. Nichols asked "Since they have been here twice without getting a permit, did this not negate their right to one?" Reverend Dan Bonner of St. Mary's Church presented some information (information on file) about the Unification Church and stated that he was concerned, as a citizen, about their soliciting in this area. He gave a rather detailed description of their activities. In answer to Mrs. Nichols' question, Mr. Morford stated that if they ask for a permit he would probably have to issue it. Mr. Miles agreed. Rev. Hasken of the St. John Lutheran Church stated that while he had no brief for the Unification Church, he was concerned with the historical reputation of church and state.

Communications were received.

Michigan Liquor Control Commission re: SDD & SDM License for 108 Michigan Ave.

To Mr. Robert Smock re: Ordinance #24

To Mr. Arthur Thayer re: Ordinance #24

From N.E. Michigan Consortium re: CETA Title VI

From M.M.L. re: Region VIII and IX meeting May 2, 1977

From John Snikar re: rezoning from C-1 to C-2 for his gas station.

Motion by McEvers, supported by Golinick that a public hearing on the rezoning be set for May 23, 1977. Ayes: 4. Nays: 0. Absent: 1.

Motion by McEvers, supported by Golinick that the last regular meeting in May be changed to May 23, 1977 due to Memorial Day weekend. Ayes: 4. Nays: 0. Absent: 1.

Chester Johnston re: Crawford County Transit bus stops. Mr. Johnston has solved the problem and does not require help.

Old Business

Mr. McEvers opened the joint meeting with Grayling Township and Crawford AuSable School Board. The purpose was to discuss the Hanson Recreation Area. Mr. Dean agreed to Chair the joint meeting. He stated the purpose of the meeting was to acquaint the various governmental units with the situation as it now exists. The operation ended it's year about \$3,000 in debt. Mr. Wyman asked about C.E.T.A. employment. Mr. Dean explained how the CETA employment operated, and that a verbal commitment exists that CETA funds furnished will not be required to be repaid. A lengthy discussion followed with no official action taken. Mr. Dean closed the joint meeting.

The proposed franchise transfer of Grayling Cable Services from Gregory Klien to Mr. George Baldwin was discussed. Mr. Morford stated that he has received the necessary information and that he would recommend the transfer subject to the approval of the City Attorney regarding form of document. Motion by Thompson, supported by McEvers that Council approve of the assignment of the Cable TV franchise from Grayling Cable Services to Grayling Cable Services, Inc. as requested by Mr. George Baldwin subject to approval of the form of transfer by the City Attorney. Ayes: 4. Nays: 0. Absent: 1. Motion carried.

Discussion was held on progress of the Joint Township-City sewer study. Mr. Morford recommended that Council pass a resolution approving continuing the City portion of the study and to request the Township to amend their application to allow the City to do so. Motion by Golinick, supported by Johnson that City Council pass a resolution stating their desire to initiate the SSES and to request Grayling Township to submit to the Michigan Department of Natural Resources a request to amend their Step 1 grant to include this work and the costs incident thereto. Further that the City Manager be directed to write a letter to Grayling Township transmitting the resolution and enclosing a draft copy of letter to Michigan Department of Natural Resources. Ayes: 4. Nays: 0. Absent: 1. Motion carried.

It was also reported by Mr. Morford that answers to the questions raised at the public hearing by Mr. Larson and Mr. Buc have been received from the City's engineers, and are on file in the City office for public use. (Mayor McEvers requested that both Mr. Buc and Mr. Larson be supplied with copies.)

The answers have been forwarded to Mr. Alstott for inclusion in the final facilities plan along with answers being provided by Township engineers regarding their portion of the study.

The final facilities plan will be discussed at a joint public meeting

The final facilities plan will be discussed at a joint public meeting to be scheduled by the Township.

Mr. Morford reported on the water system improvement project. Suggested plans for protecting the water tower from unauthorized climbing were discussed. Periodic Estimate #3 for Chicago Bridge & Iron Co. in the amount of \$5,514.00 was presented. Motion by Golinick, supported by Thompson that Estimate #3 for \$5,514.00 be paid to Chicago Bridge & Iron Co. Ayes: 4. Nays: 0. Absent: 1. Motion carried. Mr. Morford asked permission to schedule an opening ceremony when the improvements and the new tower are put into operation.

Mr. Morford presented to Council the report of Capital expenditures for the 1970's to date.

Progress on collection of delinquent parking tickets was discussed. Mr. Morford stated that apparently warrants will be necessary. Council indicated that the Manager & Attorney should proceed with necessary legal actions.

New Business

Discussion was held on Ordinance #11. This ordinance concerns bonfires. Mr. Morford pointed out some of the problems with the ordinance as written and asked Council what was their feeling. Council indicated that City Manager and Attorney draft legislation to prohibit open burning in the City as it is no longer needed with our trash collection system.

No discussion was held on Ordinance #12 which sets a "Fire Zone" in the downtown area. This was delayed until next council meeting for further study.

Possible changes in Police Dept. operation were discussed.

1. Consolidation with County of Crawford operations - One meeting has been held with the County Law Enforcement committee. The City Manager & Police Chief are to look into the matter further and report back as a part of the upcoming budget discussions.

2. Patrol Car Purchase - The 1977-78 Budget is in process and Mr. Morford asked if Council wished to purchase a car now or wait until July 1 when the new budget would be in effect. Motion by Golinick, supported by Johnson that a new police car be purchased out of the current (1976-1977) budget. Ayes: 3. Nays: 1. Absent: 1. Motion carried.

3. Mr. Morford reported that the patrol car has several dents which need repair. He will have the repairs done when the new car is in operation.

Mr. Morford stated that he had received a request for an auto transmission and electrical shop to locate in the Industrial Park. The shop would employ about 4 persons. He asked Council if they felt that this type of business was appropriate for the Park. Discussion was held on the proposed resale of an existing building for the use in question. Council expressed no objection to such a use of the existing building provided that no outdoor storage of junk or parts of cars was contemplated.

Floor covering for the new downstairs council chamber was discussed. Samples of carpeting were shown. Motion by Johnson, supported by Golinick, that the color be Antique Oak. Ayes: 4. Nays: 0. Absent: 1. Motion carried.

Reports of Councilmen

Name

Reports of City Manager

Mr. Morford reported on the following items:

a. House Bills now under consideration - HB 4171 and 4172.

b. Municipal Finance Commission - HB 4235.

c. HB 4030 is progressing with more amendments.

d. HB 4407 increase in state gas tax.

e. Vehicle registration tax bill.

f. HB 4352 "Police Officers Bill of Rights."

Article from Michigan Townships Association Newsletter.

Adjournment

Motion by Thompson, supported by Johnson that the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 4. Nays: 0. Absent: 1. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 11:00 P.M.

Allen V. Morford, City Manager & Clerk

**Frederic Twp. Minutes**

The Regular Meeting of the Frederic Township of April 12, 1977 at 7:30 p.m. was called to order by the Supervisor with all members present.

Citizens present were: Betty Sajdak, Jesse Pratt, Chet Orlikowski, Barb Seleskey, Ed Martindale, Curt & Judy Haas.

Clerks Minutes read & approved. Treasurer's report read & approved. There were no petitions.

Sheriff Curt Haas reported on the letter that the Township Board received from the Gun Control Board. He also stated that the County will have an Animal Control Officer in the very near future. The Nuisance Ordinance was discussed. The Supervisor reported that this will be fully discussed at the next meeting.

The Assessor's Plat was tabled until the Budget is amended. Commissioner Ed Martindale explained the County's part on the Tax Study of Crawford County.

The Supervisor read a letter from the Crawford Co. Road Comm. on the conditions of the bridges in Frederic Twp. He also reported on Property Assessments.

There being no more business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Mildred Harmer, Clerk

**Road Commission Minutes**

April 22, 1977

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commissioners held in their office in Grayling. Chairman Millikin presiding. Members present, Commissioners LeRoy Millikin, Ervin E. Richter and Grover C. Cason. Engineer Manager John M. Keir and Secretary Marion J. Shirkey. Absent none.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read. A motion was made by Comm. Cason, supported by Comm. Richter that the minutes be approved as read. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The bids received for the used Hough front end loader, Model H-50, were opened at this time. Results as follows:

Floyd Millikin	\$8626.00
Jim Stearns	8255.00
Jack Millikin, Inc.	8,152.00

A motion was made by Comm. Richter, supported by Comm. Cason that the bid be awarded to Floyd Millikin. All voted in favor, motion carried.

An application was received from Top O'Michigan Rural Electric Company for a permit to cut trees and build an overhead electric distribution line on North Down River Road, Sec. 33 Grayling Township, T27N-R2W. The permit was approved and signed by the Board.

An application was received from Michigan Consolidated Gas Company for a permit to install approximately 200 feet of 1 1/2 inch gas main to serve a new customer on Valley View Road, Grayling Township. The permit was approved and signed by the Board.

Ed Martindale, Crawford County Commissioner, Roads & Bridges Committee, appeared before the Board regarding the condition of May Lake Road.

The Board reviewed possible Federal Aid Secondary Projects over the next three years. No decisions have been made.

After the business meeting the Commissioners and Engineer Manager Keir made a trip of inspection over Eagle Point Road and Peninsula Blvd.

Upon returning to their office a motion was made and supported to adjourn. All voted in favor, motion carried, meeting adjourned. /s/ Marion J. Shirkey, Sec. /s/ LeRoy Millikin, Chairman

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Regulation No. 120, Crawford county.

R 317.120.3, Lovells township, sections 18, 19, and portions of sections 13 and 24; hunting with, or the discharge of, rifles prohibited.

Rule 3. Hunting with, or the discharge of, a rifle is unlawful within the following described areas in Lovells township, Crawford county: All of sections 18 and 19, T28N, R1W, and those portions of sections 13 and 24, T28N, R2W, located east of Twin Bridges road.

August 3, 1976

**Legal Notice****STATE OF MICHIGAN****In The Circuit Court For****The County Of Crawford**

Earl M. Osborne and Sandra H. Osborne, husband and wife,

vs. Douglas P. Orr and Dorothy E. Orr, husband and wife, Plaintiffs.

File No. 77-003-234

vs. John Horbach, or his unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, and assigns, Defendant.

ORDER

At a session of said Court, held at the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, on the 25th day of April, 1977.

Present: Honorable E. Patrick Murray, Acting Circuit Judge.

Petitioners' motion for an order allowing service of process by publication upon defendant, John Horbach, or his unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, and assigns, having been heard, and the affidavit filed in support of said motion having been considered, the Court finds that service of process by publication provided for under GCR, 106 is necessary as the whereabouts of the defendant and his address are unknown.

NOW THEREFORE, the Defendant, John Horbach, and all his unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, and assigns, are hereby notified that a civil action has been commenced against you to determine title to the following-described property, to-wit:

Land situated in Lovells Township, Crawford County, Michigan. Commencing at a point on the E 1/4 line 1296 ft. N of the section line between Sections 13 and 24, T28N, R2W, thence N 100 ft., thence W 650 ft., thence S 100 ft., thence E 650 ft. to P.O.D., being a part of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 13, T28N, R2W, and containing two acres more or less, and that, if you desire to defend same, you are required to answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law with regard to the Bill of Complaint to Quiet Title and Summons filed against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford on or before the 6th day of June, 1977. If you fail to do so, Judgment by Default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Bill of Complaint.

Hon. E. Patrick Murray, Acting Circuit Judge.

Nelson A. Miles, Attorney for Plaintiffs.

Business Address: P.O. Box 303, Grayling, Michigan 49738.

**The Avalanche-Your  
Want Ad Paper****Legal Notice****STATE OF MICHIGAN****In The Circuit Court For****The County Of Crawford**

Duncan K. Allan and Lillian A. Allan, Plaintiffs

vs. John Gordon and Judy Gordon, Defendants

Robert L. Britton (P-11218) Attorney for Plaintiffs

Nelson A. Miles (P-17728) Thomas E. Kent (P-24000) Attorneys for Defendant John Gordon

Notice Of Sale Of Foreclosure

Public notice is hereby given pursuant to a judgment of Foreclosure and Order of Sale entered in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, State of Michigan on the 23rd day of February, 1977 in favor of Duncan K. Allan and Lillian A. Allan, plaintiffs. I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder at public auction to be held at the main entrance of the Crawford County Building, Grayling, Michigan, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court in said County, on the 17th day of May, 1977 at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Daylight Savings Time, the following described real estate:

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

The Grayling City council will hold a public hearing in the Council Chambers of City Hall at 8:00 P.M., on Monday, May 23, 1977, regarding the possible rezoning of property described as:

Property Code 20-070-150-004-012-00 Parcel E, Blk 4 Goodale's Add. 000003600190 Property Code 20-070-018-001-020-00, That part of NE 1/4 lying NE of MCR except Hwy. R.O.W. Section 18 T26NR3W 263180010020

From the present C-1 commercial classification to a C-2 classification to allow the use of the property for an automobile sales operation or such other use as may be allowed under the proposed zoning.

All interested persons are cordially invited to attend this public hearing and to express their views regarding the proposal. A map of the proposed rezoning area will be on display in the office of the City Manager.

JERRY W. MORFORD  
CITY MANAGER & CITY CLERK

## Grayling High School Open House

An Open House for parents of Grayling High School students was hosted the evening of April 5th by the Grayling High School teaching staff. Considering the extremely adverse weather, the Open House was well attended with 532 of the parents attending. Parents had the opportunity to both pick up their child's report card and to talk with any or all of their child's teachers. Parents were asked to answer a questionnaire regarding report cards and Open Houses at the time that they picked up the report card. More than half of the parents left a questionnaire and the results are as follows:

87% of the responding parents felt positively about the Open House method of distributing report cards.

57% felt that the Open House method of distributing report cards should be used both in the fall and in the spring.

28% felt that it should be used only once a year.

Only 13% of the parents had negative feelings about having to pick up report cards at an Open House.

When asked if they would like to see one Open House a year where parents could follow a shortened version of their child's daily schedule, 68% replied positively, 32% replied negatively.

For the last two years, Grayling High School has been mailing report cards to parents at the end of each semester. 69% of the parents approved of this method of distribution and 31% disapproved.

96% of the parents felt that the present report card was adequate and only 4% felt that any changes should be made in the actual report card.

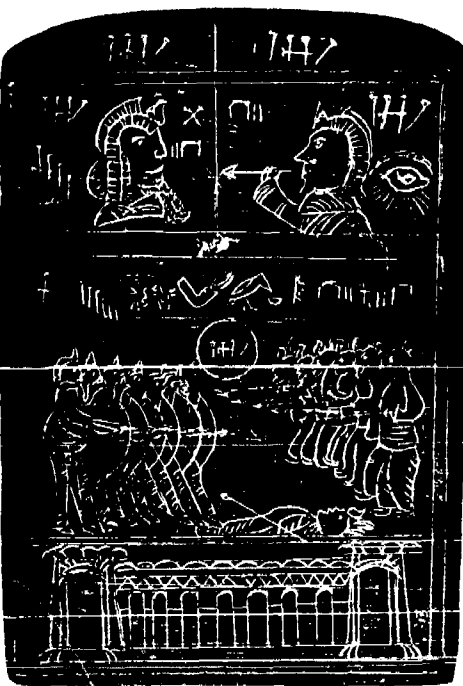
Parents were also asked for input regarding the comments that teachers place on report cards. A large number of valuable suggestions regarding the types of comments parents would like to see were received.

The Grayling High School staff was pleased with the large turnout and the interest shown by parents. In response to the feelings of parents as shown on the questionnaire, Open Houses to distribute report cards and talk with individual parents will be held at the end of the first and third marking periods and report cards will be mailed directly to parents at the end of each semester of the 1977-78 school year. As the time approaches, decisions will be made as to the actual format of these Open Houses with strong consideration being given to the concept of following a shortened version of the student's schedule. Any further input from parents would be appreciated.

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## Ancient Burial

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Europe. Much of this is documented in a book called "America B.C." recently published by Barry Fell, a genetic biologist at Harvard.

Fell became the first man to translate several of the symbols and artifacts found on the east coast and one in particular was on Monhegan Island, 12 miles off the coast of Maine. Fell says he went and saw that same stone in Maine and was struck by the fact that some of the characters used in the writing of that stone were exactly the same as the characters used on the tablets found in the burial area.

The people who studied the tablets 70 years ago also were struck by the fact that these were people here before Columbus, he said. "But in the light of all of this new evidence coming from the work done on the east coast, these claims are beginning to become very significant."

"We believe there were ancient Hebrew tribes here over 3,000 years ago, and even before the Indians arrived. What we are looking into is the graves of the people of this area, but of ancient white people," he said. He feels that the evidence relating to this is "probably true. Fell, he says, there is also evidence that much of the Indian language is composed of words derived from ancient European languages which the Indians may have acquired from sailors and settlers in this continent when the Indians arrived.

By strange coincidence this work documented in Fell's book is partially corroborated by the documents studied by Lang and Carter of the tablets in the area for there is reference they have found from a local resident which bear out the fact that the whitemen preceded the Indians on this continent.

The man is none other than Chippewa Chief Shoup, a well known and colorful figure from the past of this city. The old book states that "A similar tradition is obtained among the Chippewa Indians. Chief Shoup, a Chippewa Indian who resides at Grayling, Michigan, tells with apparent pride how his father, 'killed off white man way back, took much cattle and land.' The book says that the old Indian was shown in a photograph from one of the mounds and asked 'one ancient man' if he was 'No Indians no make, white man make long ago, way back!'

While here in Grayling, Lang and Carter were meeting with other Indians, too, to see if the trail back may still exist among their tales and legends. They have done some searching and will return to Texas before making another trip to this area.

## Grayling Eagles

13 Crawford County Avalanche

Thursday, May 5, 1977

On April 16th and 17th, Grayling Eagles Aerie and Auxiliary #3465 hosted the Spring Conference for Zone three.

Grand Aerie and Grand Auxiliary representatives were, James Kellner, Assistant to the Grand Secretary, from Columbus, Ohio and Myrtle Gonzagowski, Great Lakes Regional Grand Madam President from Madison, Wisconsin, accompanied by her daughter Kathy Gonzagowski Wisconsin State Trustee and State Chairman.

Representing the State Aerie and State Auxiliary were Francis Lewis, from Escanaba, Regional President, William Unke, State Vice-President, from Sault Ste. Marie, John Bouchard, Past State President, from Newberry, Fred Smith, State Trustee, from Negaunee, Robert Leverick, State Trustee, from Allegan and Dick Warren, State Chaplain, from Gaylord, Phyllis Pierce, State Trustee, from Petoskey, Nadine Leverick, State Trustee and State Membership Chairman, from Allegan. Other State Chairmen were Arlene Glennie, Max Baer Heart Fund, from Alpena; Linda Grawn, Michigan Disaster Fund, from Negaunee, Henrietta Candy, Golden Eagle Fund, from Gaylord.

A business meeting was held on Saturday evening at 7:30 p.m. with election of Zone officers for the coming year. David Carlson from Negaunee was elected as Chairman, Carl Gapsinski, from Gaylord as Vice-Chairman, Hannah Zerbst, from South Range Aerie, as Secretary and Ann Latusek, from Grayling as Treasurer.

Chairman Carl Bradley, from Boyne City, conducted the Saturday meeting and Sunday workshop.

The installation of new Officers took place at the Sunday morning workshop.

Above one hundred persons attended the Conference from Districts eight and nine. Lodges represented were Negaunee, Escanaba, Iron River, South Range, Newberry, Alpena, Petoskey, Cheboygan, Boyne City, Traverse City, Gaylord and Grayling.

Saturday night dancing was enjoyed to the music of the "Cordova Kid", from Grayling.

Prizes were won by Ed Schramm, Grayling Lodge, Emma, Lewis, Escanaba Lodge, Laurie Schoen, Grayling Lodge and Joan Woodman, Grayling Lodge.

The Fall Conference will be held at Negaunee Aerie on September 17th and 18th.

Frieda Latusek  
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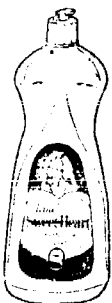
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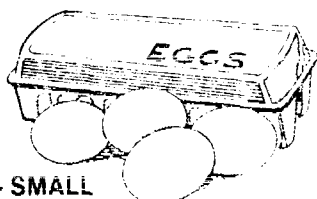
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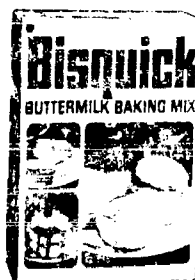
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